

numbers Catus in yes timnee draw were a Tol hears, ace of 6 ting of clubs. ight's weekly in winning number 22: 17. 12 and 22 and and and and a state of the second second

rus&retott, ffraitertatterfu

1.12246644758844732647

Dung

Institution ipital not red to PA TOHL GELERNTER

enters by the 25.5 enter enter lends

Wisited to Le 1-2.1

in rentain ann atas

ind again contract fictures of the state fic

Martin Salad 1947 Martin Salad A Martin Salad A Martin Salad Salad Salad

ional ional ion basis

the water

watt the startt

Re Cause Land

indi he

in Petran

Mar Les 1 Mar

-

-

- دور ا

.....

two aves is 🐌



cabinet meeting for an update on Levy's meeting with US Ambassador Martin Indyk. He is also to meet with Defense Minister Yitzhak Mordechai regarding his visit to Jordan and his talks with settlers over the implementation of the first phase of the IDF pullback in Judea and Samaria.

Foreign Minister David Levy (right) meets yesterday at the Foreign Ministry with US Ambassador Martin Indyk. Levy said the US should "not lend a hand to the drama orchestrated by Arafat which is aimed at putting Israel on trial," according to an Israeli official. Indyk said US Consul-General Edward Abington would attend the international meeting in Gaza planned for Saturday. (Remer) "I'm getting, frankly, fed up with the idea that everything we do is a violation of the [peace] agreement, and everything the Palestinians say is in compliance with the agreement," he told a news conference at

"A few mouths ago we were accused of burrowing a tunnel

meot by bumiliating him.

"We've got to pegotiate from the position of equals," Amit Leshin, a Labor Party organizer who brought the businessmen to Gaza, quoted PA officials as saying.

PA cabinet secretary Ahmed Abdel-Rahman denied that the diplomats' meeting is designed to embarrass Israel. "I'm astonished by [Israel's] refusal to come to this conference," he said. "They should come and commit themselves to peace as well. President Arafat is: trying to save the peace process and that is very clear to the world."

The PA is confident that if Israel did attend, it would be like the defendant in the dock and its participation would enhance the appearance of an international peace conference.

The very personal and contemp-

Netanyahu said yesterday he was "fed up" with accusations that Israeli actions were hurting the chances for peace in the Middle

the end of his visit to Moscow.

Chairman Arafat obviously feels the need to talk to friendly countries around the world, and that's appropriate," said State Department spokesman Nicholas Burns.

The US supports the meeting, another senior administration figure said in Washington, because it is an opportunity- for the Palestinians to vent their anger regarding recent Israeli decisions on Har Homa and other redeployment.

This is especially so after the US vetoed last Friday's UN Security Council decision condemning the planned construction of a Jewish neighborhood on Jerusalem's Har Homa. A second US official said the

administration does not view Arafat's event as a "conference," but as a "meeting of the countries

tics," he said.

By DAVID MAKOVSKY

ANALYSIS

When the Madrid peace conference couvened in 1991, the glittering, historic gatheriog was attended by, among others, then-US presi dent George Bush, Soviet leader Mikhail Gorbachev, then-prime minister Yitzhak Shamir and foreign ministers of surrounding Arab countries, including Syria and Lebanon. The rules of Madrid were crafted carefully

over many months, as Israel sought to ensure that such an august body not impose a peace deal, but rather allow negotiations to unfold directly. This week, the Palestinians have announced

they are convening an "international conference" in Gaza, but it does not resemble Madrid in any fashion.

On one hand, Israel should view the meeting as expressing broad international coocern about the future of the peace process and, therefore, not be dismissive.

But it would be a major error to elevate this meeting into some form of Madrid II. While the Palestinians want to conjure up this association, it is in fact more like a glorified publicrelations briefing that Palestinian Authority Chairman Yasser Arafat will be holding for ambassadors and consul-generals with a little pomp, long-winded speeches and perhaps a statement at the end, but eveo this is unclear.

As Labor leader Shimon Peres bristled yesterday, "Arafat has met with diplomats many times before, so he will do it one more time. This does not make it an international conference."

US Ambassador Martin Indyk was cited as saying in a meeting with Foreign Minister David Levy yesterday, "This is a periodic meeting that Arafat has in Gaza. Nothing more." He later said it was "ridiculous" to call it an international conference.

The Palestinians are looking for gimmieky

this an "international conference," Their interest is understandable. What is less understandable is that Israel, in the words of one western diplomat, "is playing into Arafat's hands" by denouncing the event as an international conference when it is little more than a briefing.

Once Foreign Minister David Levy slammed the session as an "international conference" that Israel would fight since it could "freeze the peace process," the story was blared oo the front pages. By highlighting the issue, Levy gave Arafat another success, as if he were able to summon heads of state from throughout the world at a minute's notice to an "international conference."

Only yesterday in Moscow, Prime Minister Binyamin Netanyahu lowered the tone, saying he would not object if Arafat held yet another briefing for diplomats.

It is not in Israel's interest to turn an Arafat media mileage and hope to find it by calling gimmick into something it is definitely not.

under the Al Aksa Mosque - preposterous fabrication," Netanyahu said. "It should have been thrown out by the international community, thrown out by the international press. It was given credence, this

"I'm not going to accept this same kind of approach again and again," he said. "If the Palestinians are serious about peace, let them sit down with us. If they are serious about airing their differences, let them sit down with us.

"Every time we do something that is oot, in their eyes, what they want, they don't say 'Let's come to the table,' ... they immediately create a crisis," Netanyahu said.

Arafat said yesterday he hopes a meeting of US, European, and Arab envoys would rescue Middle East peace from a crisis over Israeli settlement plans in the West Bank. Asked why he had called the

present at the signing of the interim agreement." We do not regard this as a

Russia, the European Union, Japan.

Norway, Egypt, and Jordan are expected to attend the meeting.

boycotting the government, he wel-

comed more than 100 Israeli busi-

nessmen to Gaza yesterday. The

meeting with the group of busi-

nessmen signified that social rela-

tions with Israel, and continuing

relations at military level, were oot

to be confused with government-

to-government problems, since

Arafat is convinced that Israeli

public opinion and even the IDF

supports his position. Addressing the group in a large

Meanwhile, while Arafat may be

tuous letter from King Hussein of Jordan to Netanyahu was especialmechanism for resolving disputes. ly pleasing to Arafat, since That bas to be done by the par-Netanyahu has often said that good relations with Jordan do not depend Representatives of the US, on good relations with Arafat.

Hussein had been shocked by the Israel-PLO accord at Oslo and was not unhappy at Netanyahu's election victory.

۴.,

۰f d

I.

"Jordan finds that Israeli policy will destroy peace in the Middle East, not only between Palestine and Israel," Abdel-Rahman said. "It will destroy peace with Jordan and Egypt, and normalization with the Arab world will end."

The warm atmosphere of the meetings beld by the businessmen belied the crisis atmosphere in PA-Israel relations, said Leshin,

Continued on Page 3

Haredim harass Jehovah's Witnesses

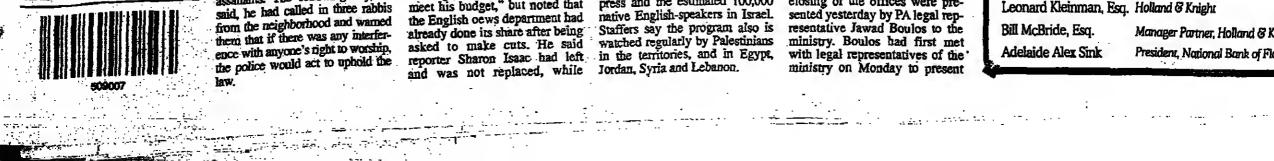
By HAIN SHAPIRO

A congregation of Jehovah's Witnesses in Lod has been the victim of a campaign of violent harassment by baredim, apparently Habad . bassidim. This culminated Saturday night, when a mob ransacked the congregation's meeting hall and sang and danced around a bonfire of Bibles and religious literature, members of the Christian congregation reported yesterday.

The Jehovah's Witnesses believe it is their religious duty to convince others of the truth of their beliefs. What we do is go around and talk to people about the Bible," said Mark Einstein, a spokesman for the movement. He said it has 750 to 800 active members, with another 1,000 who attend services. The Lod congregation, which is adjacent to a Habad neighborhood and school, has about 50 members.

According to Albin Neupert, a member of the Lod group, the first amacks on the congregation began in November. Then, he said, there was quiet until another attack came two weeks ago on Saturday night.

As one family tried to leave, they were met with a barrage of stones. A man, 60, was hit in the head and had to be taken to the hospital for treatment. Members of the group called the police from inside, but the squad car arrived with only two policemen,



who could not control the mob, Neupert said.

Eventually, he added, three more police cars arrived, but they, too, could do nothing. The police finally told the worshipers to leave despite the stone-throwing. The worshipers, who filed a complaint with the police, were told that one man had been detained and then released.

During the next few days, Neupert said, the harassment continued with graffiti daubed on the building.

This past Saturday night there was no one in the hall, but witnesses from a nearby building reported that a mob of over 200 people dressed in haredi garb attacked the building. Neupert said the scene was one of total destruction. Chairs, the platform, the speaker's stand, the amplifying system and the acoustic tiles from the ceiling were all smashed in what appeared to be a frenzy of destruction, he said. Neupert said that, according to a

witness, the attackers sang and danced for about two hours around a bonfire of the literature and Bibles from the hall. According to the witnesses, the attackers sang, "Long live the messiah, the king."

Ramle-Lod deputy police chief Yossi Boker said the police had been called by bystanders. When officers arrived, he said, a crowd was still present but it was impossible to identify specific individuals as the assailants. The following day, he said, he had called in three rabbis from the neighborhood and warned them that if there was any interference with anyone's right to worship, the police would act to uphold the law.

By ARYEH DEAN COHEN

IBA news fights

for survival

The Israel Broadcasting Authority's English news staffers are mounting a campaign to prevent the reported plans for their department's closure and the endof its daily English-language news broadcasts.

Israel Television head Yair Stern reportedly proposed shutting down IBA English News in an internal IBA document, as part of a series of steps he outlined receatly to meet tightened IBA budgets.

According to a report in the Hebrew press, Stern said the program costs NIS 1.5 million a year, plus 500 overtime hours a month. He suggested the broadcasts could be replaced by a fiveminute daily news bulletin produced by the Hebrew department. Alternately, he suggested having the English news financed by the Tourism or

Foreign Ministry. But acting English oews editor Steve Leibowitz said, "Doing away with the IBA [English] News would be an easy solution, rather than tackling the real problem - the elements in the building which don't produce what they cost."

Leibowitz said Stem "is just looking for ways to cut costs, to meet his budget," but noted that the English oews department had already done its share after being asked to make cuts. He said and was not replaced, while Jordan, Syria and Lebanon.

sector political correspondent David Essing "was forced to go back to the radio" and would not be replaced either.

He added that the pool of 30 freelance-journalist days a month used to produce the broadcasts had beeo cot to 20, meaning staffers were now doing two or three times the amount of work they did before.

Leibowitz said the cost of IBA News in 1996 was NIS 1,724,000, while its 1997 budget stands at NIS 1.2m., although the departure of Essing and Isaac made it even less than that.

Leibowitz and his fellow staffers were incensed over not being called in to discuss the proposed closure of the department. Instead, they read about it in the newspaper.

"That's not the way to treat workers," Leibowitz said.

An Israel Televisioo spokeswoman said there were no operative plans yet to close down the department. The IBA English News was founded in September 1990, and is the country's only English-language television newscast. It airs a 15-minute broadcast at 6:15 on weekdays, and a 10minute broadcast on Fridays and Saturdays.

It counts among its viewers tourists, diplomats, the foreign press and the estimated 100,000 native English-speakers in Israel. Staffers say the program also is watched regularly by Palestinians reporter Sharon Isaac had left in the territories, and in Egypt,

Kahalani to consult A-G on closing PA offices

By ELLI WOHLGELERNTER and LIAT COLLINS

Minister of Internal Security with the Knesset Interior the committee. Avigdor Kahalani will consult today with Attorney-General Elyakim Rubinstein on the legali-

ty of closing four Palestinian offices in eastern Jerusalem. Kahalani said yesterday the four offices under threat of closure are controlled by the Palestinian Authority, but as of last night be had not yet decided whether to close them.

"They are controlled by the PA, and I can tell you that the people who are working there get their salary from the PA and they are working for the PA," said Kahalani. "We have enough reason to close these offices.

"We are not looking to embarrass them or to try to work against the PA, but with all due respect towards them, they have to keep the agreement that we signed in Oslo. It is written that they are not allowed to work from Jerusalem." The four offices are the Office for Small Projects, the Committee for the Wounded, the Welfare and Development Committee and the Office of National Institutions.

Final arguments against the elosing of the offices were presented yesterday by PA legal representative Jawad Boulos to the ministry. Boulos had first met with legal representatives of the ministry on Monday to present

documents proving that the four Committee yesterday. offices were oot affiliated with the PA. Kahalani discussed the offices

"I'm oot scared to close them. I'll do it happily, but only in accordance with the law," Kahalani told

9 KEREN KAYEMETH LEISRAEL -JEWISH NATIONAL FUND Welcomes JNF OF AMERICAS SOUTHERN DISTRICT HONOREES MISSION MARCH 9, 1997 - MARCH 16, 1997 Gordon Arkin, Esq. Foley & Lardner Susan Arkin Dr. Rita Bornstein President, Rollins College Harland Bioland Linda Chapin Chairman, Orange County Commission Mayor Glenda Hood Orlando, Florida **Charles Hood** Hal Kantor, Esq. Lowndes, Drosdick, Doster, Kantor and Reed. Victoria Kantor Leonard Kleinman, Esg. Holland & Knight Bill McBride, Esq. Manager Partner, Holland & Knight Adelaide Alex Sink President, National Bank of Florida

n an ann an an an Ann an A

NEWS

Thursday, March 13, 1997 The Jerusalem Post

The Jer Je

pa

Weiz

We r

solve

prob

BY BATSHE

لى

al: ----

REAL STREET

Т.

B.....

100 C

er: : -**

1. A. A. A.

22.5

Te state

263 (A. 17

lera a c

1 Jan 12 18 12 1

and shared

Special Sec. 14

1

area erra.

50 (T M 🗤 T

S. 1. . . .

🖳 8 mm ja

Estate and

22 C. C.

an terrer i

🗲 🗠 Mayor Kasar

2 states

HE AN ETCOT

325-21-25

States and a state of

単行法で

Sentence in the

Automatic We way

altige

A dance

Jerusalem

thigh Scines the my

Academy of dill and the

Reconstructed C

sof writing dixent

2479 8 1 1 1 1

121 51

h:

Gov't awaits OK for Har Homa

By ELLI WOHLGELERNTER

The government will not begin building on Har Homa Sunday, because it wants to wait until after the High Court of Justice hears four petitions against the construction

The court is scheduled to meet on Wednesday to hear the appeals. Deputy Housing Minister Meir Porush (United Torah Judaism) told the Knesset Interior Committee yesterday his ministry is prepared to begio work. Contracts have been signed with a construction firm, but Porush said work would not begin until the petitions have beeo heard, even though no injunction has been issued

Asked about threats of violence over Har Homa, Internal Security Minister Avigdor Kahalani said: "Anyone who grows tired of the struggle for Jerusalem should ask himself what he is doing here. The police are good and there are sufficient forces, and we are prepared for whatever we need to be prepared for. The struggle for Jerusalem is at a height at the moment, and the Har Homa construction is part of that struggle." An injunction barring construc-

tion was requested on February 27 by MKs Haim Oron (Meretz) and

Avraham Poraz (Shioui-Meretz), the day after the government's ministerial committee OD Jerusalem gave approval for build-iog on Har Homa. The justice on duty postponed hearing that pen-tion, moving instead to have the petition combined with two others that had previously been filed, and

to have the petitions heard by a

panel of three judges. Following the judge's decision, the permit to begin construction on Har Homa was signed later that day by Labor and Social Affairs Minister Eli Yishai.

A fourth petition was then filed by Ir Shalem, an affiliate of Peace Now, on behalf of 29 people from Sur Bahir and Umm Tuba, accord-iog to Hagit Ya'ari, a spokeswoman for Peace Now. That appeal was combined with the other three.

The process by which building on Har Homa - or any new construction - can take place involves a 14-day waiting period after a building permit is signed. Then, work can begin. The 14-day period for Har Homa ends Sunday. Ya'ari said the 14-day interval is the reason oothing has bappened yet at Har Homa.

"Wheo everyone said that Prime Minister Binyamio Netanyahu] is caving in to the report.

ioternational pressure [oot to build], it wasn't true. He legally. can't build until two weeks pass." It's standard for any building.

Moshe Eilat, an advisor to the Ministry of Construction and Housing, which is in charge of building on Har Homa, said his ministry is "ready and eager" to start construction.

However, Eilat said, the ministry does not want to start oo Suoday, "because then they will stop us, and we don't want them to stop us and then start again. We want that everything will be clear from a legal poiot of view.

He said he was confident that the petition would be rejected.

Withio a day of the end of any legal issues, Eilat said, buildozers could arrive on Har Homa and begin tearing up the ground. That should take about two weeks, he said, after which construction on infrastructure and housing will commeoce.

The work will be contracted out by the Housing Ministry, be said, but the overall administration is in the ministry's hands. We are in charge of everything.

from A to Z," Eilat said. "We are responsible for everything." Liat Collins contributed to this

Settlers, Mordechai meet over pullback

By MARGOT DUDKEVITCH

Settler leaders met with Defense Minister Yitzhak Mordechai yesterday to give him a long list of proposals and "cosmetic changes" before the final maps of the Phase 1 withdrawal receive authorization.

fr

Je

SU

SO

Μ

m

Ne

ŧ.

°C

۰S

1

a

ç

in Si

nEAt Jerus before Thurs Tel A noon, and S and 1

For 1 02-53

THE - 4 Vale i furnis 625-1

P: Tel

The settlers also impressed upon Mordechai the necessity to involve them in discussions regarding future pullbacks, charging that as representatives of the areas where withdrawal will take place, "no one understands the needs of the communities

better than" they. Attending the meeting at the Laromme Hotel were Pinhas : Wallerstein, chairman of the Council of Jewish Communities in Judea,

Samaria and Gaza, council director Aharon Domb and a majority of the mayors of all the regional and local councils that make up the communities. Accompanying Mordechai were Defense Ministry officials and top IDF officers, including OC Although Tayar refused to divulge details of the proposals, she said the council's recommendations would not affect the amount of land transferred to the Palestinian Authority, but would improve the security problems faced by some settlements. Two settlements facing isolation

under the current pullback, said Tayar, are Karmei Tzur and Yitzhar. Mordechai, she said, "basically agreed" to demands raised on behalf of Karmei Tzur residents regarding the building of a 7 kilometer bypass road that would link up to Gush Etzion junction, thus keeping the settlers from having to travel through neighboring Beit Umar and Al-Araub. Yitzhar, near Nablus, she

said, is also extremely isolated. Mordechai told reporters after the meeting that he understood the settlers' distress and according to the government's decision he was free to make amendments on the map. Mordechai added that the IDF and security forces were ready to redeploy despite the Palestinians recent demands and the summit planned for Saturday. "We want to carry out the government's decision, and there is every chance that the Palestinian Authority will cooperate, even though they aren't satisfied with the size of the withdrawal."

IDF opens Netzarim road

By MARGOT DUDKEVITCH

Resideots of the Netzarim settlement bad difficulty comprehending an IDF decision to open the road running next to their settlement to all Palestinians yesterday.

The road that ruos 20 meters from the settlement and continues towards the sea bas been the source of clashes in the past when resideots protested, fearing for their safety.

In 1994, prime minister Yitzbak Rabin ordered its closure after a bomb at Netzarim Junction killed 3 soldiers. Last December, the road was opened only to Palestinian Police and

VIPs. "I can't understand wby



Roadblock detail

Soldiers set up a roadblock outside Bethlehem yesterday. Following protests in the town, the IDF barred entry to Israeli citizens for several bours in the afternoon, when dozens of Palestinian youths held a march past Rachel's Tomb. The youths had broken off from a nearby demonstration of some 1,000 Bethlehem residents against the settlements and construction plans for Har Homa.

Peleg: UN is not a substitute for talks

By MARILYN HENRY

NEW YORK - Israel accused the Palestinians of "dysfunctional behavior" yesterday as the UN General Assembly opened a debate that is expected to condemn the Har Homa project.

Israeli charge d'affaires David Peleg told the General Assembly that the UN is not the place to discuss "contentious" issues between Israel and the Palestinians.

"Israel, too, has grievances concerning Palestinian violations of our agreements, Peleg said in a speech to the assembly. "But we prefer oot to misuse this body to air our concerns.

Speaking with reporters after his speech, Peleg repeated that disagreements should be resolved in direct talks between the two sides. "Unfortunately, the Palestinians have fallen into dysfunctional behavior patterns" by ruoning to third parties, Peleg said. If a resolution against Har Homa is passed,

he said, "the result would be to encourage more extreme attitudes.

More than 30 speakers were scheduled to address the assembly yesterday. Israel was expected to face wide condemnation wheo the 185-member assembly votes oo the Israeli plan to build 6,500 housing units in Jerusalem. That vote was expected today.

Last Friday, the US vetoed a resolution in which the Security Council would have opposed the Har Homa project. Arab states then sought the assembly sessioo, although an assembly resolution would not be binding.

The PLO observer to the UN, Nasser al-Kidwa, called the Har Homa project a "colonial settlement" in "occupied Palestinian territory." He then weot on to list what he called a series of Israeli violations of the status of Jerusalem, including the opening of the second entrance to the Western Wall Tunnel."

There can be no peace in the Middle East without the restoration of our legal rights in Jerusalem," al-Kidwa said.

NEWSLINE

with Dr. Menachem Klein, an expert on Palestinian affairs in the department of Political Science, Bar-Ilan University, and research fellow at the Jerusalem Institute.

Is there a real crisis, as opposed to a manufactured one, in relations between Israel and the Palestinians and if so to what extent?

There is a crisis of regional and international proportions in relations between Israel and America, as well as with Europe, Egypt and Jordan, and not just between Israel and the Palestinians. Its roots were in the government's decision over Har Homa and then the decisions taken over the first phase of redeployment in which the Palestinians had expected to receive more territory that would be under their sole control. The Palestinians virtually begged to be consulted on these issues, but the government refused. Since then the Palestinians have built up the crisis, but it is nonetheless real and serious.

What is the significance of the international conference on the

Firstly, the government has to freeze the decision to begin construction work on Har Homa. This has become the main issue and potential flashpoint. Secoodly, a summit meeting between the leaders of Israel, Egypt, Jordan and the Palestinian Authority, with the participation of the Americans, could be very useful in helping to renew the negotiations and direct dialogue, as well as being used as a step to re-building political confidence. If these two measures were to be adopted it could help take the wind out of the sails of the inter-. national conference in Gaza and deflate the growing feelings of: anger and frustration among the Palestinian people themselves. What is the likely outcome if these or other steps to reduce ten-

sion are not taken and the government adheres to its decisions? If the government maintains its tough stance and there is no direct dialogue, there will undoubtedly be popular protests by the Palestinians against Israel. There have already been some minor confrontations on a local level as well as the bigger demonstrations: Arafat is trying to contain and control the situation and is keeping his police. in their bases and not allowing them participate in any of the protests as civilians. There is a genuine fear, however, that some of these demonstrations or protests could get out of hand and ont of control and lead to violent clashes with bloody and tragic results. The crunch would no doubt come the minute the bulldozers move onto Har Homa. Is there also concern, in such circumstances, of a renewal of Hamas and Islamic Jihad suicide and terror attacks? There is a great deal of frustration and anger among the Palestinians, inflamed to some extent by the Palestinian media, over the situation at the moment. The attack on the soldier on guard duty at Tench Omarim was an example of what appears to have been an initiative by individuals. If this mood continues to build up there is a danger of a renewal of terror attacks. Arafat, himself, may oot give the go ahead for them, but Hamas could interpret the recent release of one of their radical leaders, as well as their participation in several political discussions with Arafat, as silent approval for such attacks. David Rudge

Central Command Uzi Dayan. The settlers' council raised 46 proposals and Mordechai agreed on 40, promising to examine the remaining six. According to council spokes-woman Yehudit Tayar, Mordechai was very receptive and endeavored to understand the difficulties facing the settlers in future withdrawals.

> With deep sorrow we announce the death of our beloved wife, mother, and grandmother DOROTHY CANARD

Deeply mourned and sadly missed by: Husband: Max Sons: Russel, Steven, **David and Graeme** Daughters-in-law: Cheryl and Joanne Grandchildren: Galit, Nadav, Aviv, Talla, and Nicole

She will always be with us.

The funeral will take place today, Thursday, March 13, 1997, at 2 p.m. at Shikun Vatikim, Netanya.

Our deepest condolences to the Canard and Liebson Familles on the death of

DOROTHY

your wife, mother, mother-in-law and grandmother, and our friend

ESRA – English Speaking Residents Association

Members of Nayot mourn the passing of a veteran resident ESTHER PASSMAN EPSTEIN 777 survivor of the 1948 Mt. Scopus Convov

and send sincere condolences to

her son, David, and his wife, Deenna.

In deep sorrow we mourn the passing of our beloved mother, grandmother and great-grandmother

MILLIE GLEICHER 577

المحاجب والمحاجب المحاجون بمساد وال

Gleicher and Knoll Families

the decision was made when things are so tense," said resident Shlomit Ziv. adding that the residents hadn't beeo informed of the decision and many had gone to work without even realizing the change. "I am sure this evening when people return bome the issue will be discussed."

Head of the Gaza Regiooal Council Aharon Tzur said he had not been informed of the change either.

Oslo accords, being organized by PA Chairman Yasser Arafat, which is due to be held in Gaza on Saturday?

For the first time, an international forum, which may have the potential for becoming a permanent forum, will be discussing the peace process and bilateral talks between Israel and its peace partners - without Israel actually taking part. The immediate meaning is that Israel is politically isolated. Although the significance of America's participation is being played down, it is meaningful because it is an indication of US displeasure with the government's policies. Furthermore, the forum could be used in future as a lobby to put pressure on Israel, while Arafat will no doubt use the conference as a stepping stone towards achieving international recognition for his ultimate aim of turning the Palestinian Authority into a Palestinian state.

Is there a way out of the present crisis through some kind of formula or compromise that would prove acceptable to both **Israel and the Palestinians?**

Israeli Arab leaders to protest 'settlement policy'

By DAVID RUDGE

Israeli Arab leaders are to meet in Rahat in the Negev today to decide oo measures to protest against what they describe as the government's settlemeot policies especially the Har Homa building project. The meeting will take place amid growing concern io the

Israeli Arab community over the crisis in the peace talks with the Palestinians and Israel-Jordan relations.

"There is deep fear over the deterioration in the peace process and where this might lead, as well as anger at the governmeot's policies which bave brought this about," said Abed Inbitawi, spokesman for the monitoring committee of the Israeli Arab leadership.

The monitoring committee will discuss the situation and bow best the Arab public, as a peace force, can demonstrate in the Israeli sector for the aim of achieviog a just peace which will respect the rights of Palestinians, said Inbitawi, who is also spokesman for Shfaram municipality. The meeting is slated to discuss

several proposals for measures to protest against the government's policies, including a mass rally in

SOCIAL & PERSONAL

JEROME SCHOTTENSTEIN SCHOOL TORAH HERITAGE will hold a memorial service for Jerome Schottenstein z"I, Mount Zion - 5 Adar II, Thursday night 5

Jerusalem, nationwide demonstrations and even calls for a general strike of the Arab sector.

There are also calls for activities to be conrdinated with Jewish peace activists and political parties, including Peace Now and left-wing groups.

The beads of the 53 Arab councils, as well as Arab MKs and leading public figures, are expected to attend the monitoring committee meeting, which will also discuss plans to mark Land Day at the end of this month.

Inbitawi said the decision to hold the meeting in Rahat was in solidarity with the problems facing Beduin families in the region, relating to land, housing shortages, poor infrastructure, unrecognized villages and other difficulties.

Tarif takes ill after Zissman barb By LIAT COLLINS

Knesset Interior Committee Chairman Salah Tarif (Labor) was taken ill during a stormy meeting about Har Homa yesterday and need-ed tranquilizers after another MK questioned his loyalty to the state. Tarif was taken to the Knesset's later made up.

clinic after a vehement exchange with Emanuel Zissman (Thir Way), who accused him of betray ing Labor party principles an favoring the Palestinians more that Israel. Zissman implied that Tarif loyalty to the state was in doubt. The argument erupted about 9 minutes into the meeting. The tw MKs began screaming at each othe Zissman told Tarif, "You don even represent the left-wing of th Labor Party. Move to Hadash [th Arab and Communist party]. Mov to the Democratic Arab Part You've forgotten you are Drus Where's your national pride? Yo

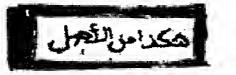
prefer to believe the Palestinians than to believe a minister." Tarif, drained of color, shouted back that he was in favor of peace, and theo asked Micha Goldman (Labor) to replace him, because he felt unwell. He was treated with tranquilizers. Zissman and Tarif

The exchange overshadowed the appearance of newly appointed Jerusalem Police Cmdr. Yair Yitzhaki before the committee. Yitzhaki said the Palestinian Authority is currently trying to keep things calm, but when the bulldozers start work on Har Homa unrest and disturbances are likely.

The beads of the 53 Arab coun-	Way), who accused him of betray-		
ils, as well as Arab MKs and	ing Labor party principles and	Israel Petrochemical Enterprises Ltd.	
ading public figures, are expect- t to attend the monitoring com-	favoring the Palestinians more than Israel. Zissman implied that Tarif's	RE: Notice to Shareholders of the Annual General Meeting	
sittee meeting, which will also iscuss plans to mark Land Day at we end of this month. Inbitawi said the decision to old the meeting in Rahat was in olidarity with the problems fac- ing Beduin families in the region, elating to land, housing short- ges, poor infrastructure, unrecog- ized villages and other difficul- es.	loyalty to the state was in doubt. The argument erupted about 90 minutes into the meeting. The two MKs began screaming at each other. Zissman told Tarif, "You don't even represent the left-wing of the Labor Party. Move to Hadash [the Arab and Communist party]. Move to the Democratic Arab Party. You've forgotten you are Druse. Where's your national pride? You	 Notice is hereby given that the Annual Shareholders' Meeting of the Company shall take place in the Company's offices, at Beit Eliahu, 2 Ibn Gvirin Street, Tel Aviv, on Tuesday, April 8, 1997, at 9:00 a.m. On the Agenda: Consideration of the Company's Financial Statements for the year ended December 31, 1996. Final dividend for the year 1996. Appointment of Auditors and determination of their fee. Appointment/Election of the Directors and approval of Directors' fee. Under the Articles of Association of the Company, in the event that there is no quorum present at the meeting within one hour from the time flowid, for that meeting, such meeting shall be adjourned for the next day, at the same time and place. 	
The Ministry Bid no	of the interior	In the event that there is no quorum present at the adjourned meeting within one hour from the time fixed for that meeting, then the meeting shall take place with any number of participants attending such meeting, and such participants shall constitute a quorum.	
	b. 1/97	L Wishnish	
Request for Pr		d-patronnam/k Company Secretary	
Request for Pr A Policy Paper and a Principles and			

Listen to Arutz 7, 711 1143 AM 105 FM

هكذامن التصل



NEWS

Panel slams Matza over health crisis

By JUDY SEGEL

The Knesset Labor and Social Affairs Committee yesterday called on Prime Minister Binyamin Netanyahu to intervene personally and immediately in the Treasury's negotiations with the Health Ministry over severe overcrowding in the hospitals and the looming deficit in the health system.

The Israel Medical Association (IMA), which at 1 a.m. Wednesday announced a 24-hour warning strike would begin six hours later, criticized Health Minister Ychoshua Matza and his director-general Prof. Gabi Barabash for failing to appear at the meeting. Instead, said the IMA, they

sent only "second- and third-rank officials."

Marza explained later that he was husy in his office working specifically on the hospital crisis. He also said that the doctors' sanctions, in which they treated only emergency cases, were wrong even though their demands were justified. A ministry spokesman added: "The minister is leading the negotiations face to face with Treasury officials, with the support of the premier. Let him do this without pressure from strikes and threats."

The Knesset committee, chaired by Gesher MK Maxim Levy, voiced its support for the doctors' sanctions and called on Matza to "immediately take upon himself

responsibility for the struggle" for Treasury funds for the health system, "instead of disavowing responsibility for the collapse of the system.

Yisrael Ba'aliya MK Yuri Stern noted that the number of hospital beds per capita here is the lowest in the Western world. At the same time, average hospital stays are the shortest and residents pay high health taxes. Nurses Union head Ilana Cohen said that "once a new health minister learns the

ropes, he is replaced." Labor MK Yossi Katz said the Paticots' Rights Law is being violated daily io the hospitals due to inadequate care and lack of privacy due to overcrowding. Dr. Yitzhak Berlowitz, head of hospital-

ization services in the ministry, said the committee meeting was "superfluous" because iotensive negotiations with the Treasury over allocations for extra beds and staff are going on. Dr. Ya'acov Hart, head of the Association of Hospital Directors. warned that by the end of this year, there would be a NIS 2 hillion deficit in the health system. The whole system will collapse by this summer," he declared.

The committee members decided to visit a number of hospitals to see the situation for themselves. The IMA last week instructed its members to practice "safe and responsible medicine" and to discharge patients only when they're well enough, especially in internal-medicine departments.



in briet

Syrian held secretly for three years

A former Syrian soldier accused of espionage has been held in an Israeli prison - secretly and without trial - for the last three years, Channel 1 reported yesterday.

"Security officials, who are willing to deport him, have been unable to find a country willing to grant him asylum," it said, adding that IDF soldiers arrested Ali Fahmi, a sergeant in the Svrian artillery corps, three years ago after he crossed into Israeli-held territory near Mount Hermon.

The General Security Service accused him of entering Israel with the intent of spying, it said, adding that he told investiga-tors he decided to desert from the Syrian army after a "violent argument" with his commanding officer.

Israel Radio said Fahmi's imprisonment had been kept classified until the Supreme Court lifted the secrecy order yesterday. Reuter

Seven-year-old raped in Petah Tikva

A seven-year-old girl, who had been left home alone, was raped in her Petah Tikva home yesterday afternoon. A man rang the doorbell and she allowed him inside, where he preceded to steal jewelry and then raped the child. The incident was discovered several hours later when her parents returned home. Itim

Tamra man charged with rape Gazi Hajazi, 39, of Tamra, was indicted yesterday in Haifa District Court for the rape and attempted rape of two immigrant women living in an absorption center near Haifa. According to the charge sheet, the suspect, on the pretext of offering each of the women employment in his office, took them for rides in his car and attacked them. He is charged with raping one of the women in January and attempting to rape the second woman last month. The second victim managed to fight him off and call the police.

Youth coach remanded for indecent acts

The Jerusalem Magistrate's Court yesterday remanded for five days the coach of a local youth basketball team for allegedly committing indecent acts against his players. The coach, who denies all charges, was arrested yesterday after six youths com-plained to police last week. Judge Yehezkel Barkaly denied a police request for a 10-day remand. ltim

Two killed in truck-car collision

Driver A. S. Shahamiya, 48, and passeoger Noam Hales, 47, both of Jatt, were killed yesterday, when a truck driven by a 25year-old man from Zemer swerved out of its lane and struck their car head-on. The truck driver and three car passengers were admitted to Hillel Yoffe Hospital in Hadera with light to moderate injuries.

Judge criticized in youths' child abuse case

Women's and children's organizations, as well as MKs, yesterday criticized Tel Aviv Magistrate's Court Judge Nira Lidski's explanation for the light seotence she gave to two 14year-olds who committed indecent acts against a five-year-old girl. The teens' offense was just a hit of fondling, Lidski reportedly said at a WIZO event this week. When journalist Asheret Kutler, who was the discussion's moderator, then asked Lidski what she would do to the teens if the girl had been her daughter, she responded, "I would shoot them," Iúm according to Israel Radio.

Bar-On Affair questioning continues

Lawyer Doy Weissglass, once considered a candidate for

Weizman: We must solve drug problem

By BATSHEVA TSUR

There are close to 250,000 drug

abusers in the country and some

20,000 of them are addicted to

hard drugs, the head of the War

on Drugs Authority, Shlomo Gal,

y to Israeli citi-The youths had plans for 19- A Here

tiem pos



Moncil a resolution. project. And an session athoas not be bining the UN, Name terna project a 16 wind Palestaian ist what to ale ans of the state All Tunne! in the Mana

of our legal right:

ing to begin infic main istat at Authority with the sameful in heinnin and as being dete at 1960 tablie Toinn The early of the ater wowang fee tips t

Here's to reduce the in its decisi of there was an priver to by th



Breathe easy

Youngsters wearing gas masks participate in a civil defense exercise at Jerusalem's Sieff School yesterday, part of nationwide exercises to test the schools' readiness. Jerusalem Mayor Ehud Olmert and Education Minister Zevulun Hammer were on hand (Bryan McBarney) to observe the drill.

MKs begin debate on cloning Committee disagrees on how to outlaw human clones

thought it would be difficult or In any case, he said, even a hut it should not tie their hands, as genetic copy of a buman being their research can also be used to

fighting drug abuse.

said yesterday.

solutions," he said.

have to wage," the town's mayor, Shlomo Edri, said.

Shmuel Richman, head of the Negev local councils, said "hundreds of kilos" of drugs are smuggled in nightly across the border

permissive that drug use is no longer scorned," Gal told a gathering of mayors who met with the president to discuss ways of

"Israeli society is becoming so

President Ezer Weizman, who hosted the meeting at Beit Hanassi, told the mayors and local council heads that it is oot enough to ask questioos. "We have to come up with practical

The president and his wife, Reuma, have met with many experts and former drug abusers and Reuma Weizman is to visit the US next month to raise funds to combat the scourge.

Some three and a half toos of heroin are smuggled into Israel every year and some 25 tons of hashish and marijuana, Gal said. "This is no longer the innocuous hashish of former years, because it has been 'enriched,' " he said. In the streets of Or Yehuda, youths smoke bashish openly. This is a national battle that we

Martin to Arth K. Reenvist Tastera drugs, there has been an improveann an the miltin meot, but dooble that sum is that set at the needed, Mayor Ronni Milo told nd out at 1 etc at 🕨 E. ROSCI L tione serve that here

Sancas. inger unit 2 indice ----

the terms of part 2

interit interiori the second of the

barb

TI the second

WK COLOR STATE

CARLES CONTRACTOR

terprises Ltd.

W Cesere WE

See Mart 14 - 14

to but at ant a

A solution was proposed by Prof. Avi Degani, who has researched the subject. "We have to market the campaign against drugs, just like the Americans did with smoking," he said. "They have succeeded in virtually stopping smoking. We have to turn drug usage into an anti-oorm."

In Tel Aviv, where NIS 12 mil-The Knesset Science & Technology Committee yesterday lion are devoted to combatting heard the deep moral and ethical concerns of doctors, scientists, ethicists and rabbis over the scientific breakthrough in Scotland that recently produced a cloned sheep. Nearly all the committee's MKs agreed cloning humans should be forbidden, but they disagreed on bow to go about it in a way that would include "outlaw" states and

would not put too many limitations on academic freedom. Hebrew University geneticist Prof. Adam Friedmann said he

By JUDY SIEGEL

in the foresceable future, hut Science Ministry director-general Zvi Yannai said the process used to produce the sheep would inevitably be improved and speed-ed up, making human cloning a definite possibility.

Tel Aviv University ethicist Prof. Assa Kasher minimized the fears that human cloning would de-personalize society or lead to armies cloned in a dictator's image. "This may shock you, but I don't see anything wrong with allowing parents to produce a clone of a child who died."

would have his own values, ideology and desires due to different environmental influences.

Labor MK Haggai Merom, who has proposed a bill to prohibit human cloning, said supervision of scientific experiments was needed, just as nuclear energy research and development are Development. "We're not ripe for supervised.

Rabbi Yigal Shafran, head of the medical division in the Chief Rahbinate, said scientists must not be so arrogant that they think they are God. Legislation is needed to the desire to advance the fight supervise their work in genetics, against disease.

cure diseases, he said. The Knesset should wait until

President Bill Clinton's National Bioethics Committee issues its recommendations on cloning before taking any stand, suggested Prof. Haim Aviv of the National Council for Research . and legislation in this field yet. It's too, carly." Aviv added that scientists were trained to be sensitive to the ethical and social implications of their work and were impelled by

attomey-general, was summoned to give evidence by the police team investigating the Bar-On Affair. Weissglass was asked if he knew of any improprieties concerning the subsequent appointment of Rom Bar-On. While candidates for the position were being examined Weissglass met with Prime Minister Binyamin Netanyahu and yesterday was reportedly asked by investigators

of the nature of that meeting. Today Shas MK Arych Deri is expected to be summoned for questioning by police to determine still if there is any truth to allegations that Deri promised the government Shas's support on the Hebron redeployment in return for Bar-On's appointment, as broadcast by Channel 1. Deri's advisor, Yehuda Avidan, may also be called to give evidence this morning to discover if he was privy to information concerning the alleged deal. Raine Marcus



A final dance

Former 'Jerusalem Post' dance critic Dora Sowden with dancers from the modern ballet workshop of the Rubin Academy High School following the presentation of a JNF certificate for 18 trees planted in her honor. The Jerusalem Rubin Academy of Music and Dance, the Jerusalem Municipality and the Post' yesterday honored the internationally recognized critic for her nnique contribution to local dance life. Sowden recently retired after more than 50 years of writing about dance, 30 of them for the 'Post.' (Text Helen Kaye, Photo: Brian Hendler)

Court refuses to nullify bought evidence

send an Israeli legal team to meet a

Palestinian legal team to work out

gerous opponents, to join PA meet-

ings. Answering several motions

to the agenda on the planned first

further redeployment, Levy said

there are signs the PA is beginning

to foment unrest, which could be

particularly damaging since

Hamas is involved. He described-

the situation as "a dangerous

Levy said the government's

decision to build on Har Homa is

still valid and stressed that neither

this nor the previous government

had promised to refrain from

Levy also said the government is

building in Jerusalem.

development"

By RAINE MARCUS

Tel Aviv District Court Judge Sara Sirotta rejected a petition yesterday to oullify testimony bought from a private investigator in the media-wiretapping case. a private investigator in the mema-witetapping case. Private investigator Ze'ev Laufer, who is charged with 18 counts of wiretapping in the affair, was paid \$600,000 by *Ma'ariv* publisher Ofer Ninrodi to give

police evidence implicating Yediot Aharonot publish-er Amon Mozes and the daily's security officer, Haim Rozenberg, for commissioning wiretapping. The money was paid from Ma'ariv and Nimrodi's Hachsharat Hayishuv capital.

Security company owner and Ma'ariv shareholder David Spector, who is a security advisor to Ha' aretz, petitioned the Tel Aviv District Court as to the legality of the deal with Laufer.

Sirotta ruled that although she initially felt disgust at the agreement between Ma'ariv and Laufer, after

and is problematic, it does not constitute a precedent for "new norms in the country," Strotta said. She also accused Spector of not having "clean hands" wheo he petitinned the court, since he is a

friend of Rozenberg's and filed the petition just after the latter unsuccessfully appealed to the High Court of Justice against his impending indictment.

close inspection, she could not find anything illegal

in it, especially since police had previously negotiat-

ed with Laufer to explore the possibility of his turn-

oey's full authorization and was made to expose the

witnesses" by a private party was not applicable. Furthermore, the public interest was greater than

Ma'ariv's interest to expose its rivals, she said.

Although the agreement with Laufer may not be moral

The transaction was conducted with the state attor-

Therefore, she continued, the question of "buying

ing state's witness against Yediot.

truth, Sirotta ruled.

determined to huild housing for the Arab sector as well.

He warned that violence or international pressure could stall the peace process. "We won't abandon our interests because of pressure," he said.

Levy strongly coudemned Arafat's planned meeting in Gaza, saying it violates the promise Arafat made to Rabin to solve all problems directly and without international intervention.

Knesset Foreign Affairs and Defense Committee Chairman Uzi Landau (Likud) attacked the prime minister, saying the continued negotiations with the Palestinians violate the government's basic guidelines, which demand reciprocity as a condition for discussions on the permanent arrangements.

Meretz leader Yossi Sarid promised that, should Netanyahu suspend the decision on the Har Homa project, Meretz would withdraw its no-confidence motion and give him parliamentary support on the issue.

3 ONE-DAY TRIPS with Shorashim & The Jerusalem Post Travel Club

Spend a day away-from-it-all on one of Shorashim's entertaining and enlightening English speaking trips. You'll meet your sort of people, visit off-the-beaten-track places and hear interesting and informative explanations from expert guides.

Space is limited so book early and avoid disappointment.

- ACRE THE CRUSADER CITY Thursday
- April 3 In July 1099, after they had captured Jerusalem, the Crusaders realized they needed a port with a major harbor. So they turned this small city into an important Crusader stronghold. The markets filled with goods, cloth, jewels and precious stones, for the troops to take home as souvenirs. We'll visit the Hospitalers Quarter and view the new discoveries, the Genoa Quarter - little Italy in the Holy Land - the Templans Quarter, the Tunkish Baths and more. NIS 175

∘f đ

Tour guide: Danny Syon

RETURN TO BEIT SHEAN

Tuesday

April 15

Thousands of years of history - Greek, Roman, pagan, Jewish - now revealed for all to see. Theaters, temples, bath-houses, markets, frescoes, houses of ill-repute. All the beauty and cruelty that paganism offered. Even if you've been before, come again, because so much more has now been revealed. including the "Mona Lisa," in one of the world's most successful digs. NIS 180 (including lunch) Tour guide: Yisrael Shalem

IN THE FOOTSTEPS OF THE SANHEDRIN Thursday April 24

The Bar-Kochba Revolt failed. 600,00 Jews died. Jerusalem was destroyed. Jews were sold as slaves, and Tora study came to an end. But a new center arose in the Galilee, and the towns of Zippori and Tiberias became famous. We'll visit them, as well as Beit Shearim, the burial place of Rabbi Yehuda Hanasi and his family. NIS 215 (including lunch) Tour guide: Danny Weiss

The tour price includes transportation from Jerusalem or Tel Aviv and return, entrance to all sites, background lectures and on-thespot explanations. Lunch as indicated. Pick-up and drop-off along

the route when possible and arranged beforehand. Reservations and further information: SHORASHIM, POB 7588, 14 Rehov Abarbanel, Rehavia, jerusalem 91074. Tel. 02-566-6231 (9:30 a.m. – 2:30 p.m.) Ask for Michal, Vered or Varda.

the provisions relating to perma-**Continued from Page 1** nent status and further redeployment. They refused." Meanwhile the UN Geoeral Assembly, void of supporters of "The Middle East can be like the Israel, debated the crisis yester-

Benelux countries including Israel, day. (Story, Page 2) Jordan, Palestine, and Lebanon," Levy told the Knesset plenum Arafat told them. yesterday the PA is allowing Leshin said that relations were groups like Hamas, which until recently it considered to be dan-

established with the Gaza Chamber of Commerce. "They wanted to open an office in Tel Aviv and we offered them room in the Israel Chamber of Commerce." What bothers the merchants most is the continuing closure. Despite some easing of the restrictions, most businessmen still cannot travel out of Gaza. "Flowers meant for export are fed to the goats," Leshin heard.

CABINET

PA negotiator Sach Erekat said the crisis blew up because, in Sunday's meeting with Levy, the Israelis refused even to hear the Palestinian arguments in defense of their interpretation of the Oslo 2 agreements. "We urged them to

WORLD NEWS

Thursday, March 13, 1997 The Jerusalem Post

No injuries in Japan N-plant fire

BY BRAVEN SMILLIE

TOKYO (AP) — Japanese watching the evening news yesterday saw dramatic film footage of an accident at a ouclear plant that made it seem like a scene right out of Star Trek.

The fires at the nuclear processing plant in northeastern Japan exposed 35 workers to minimal amounts of radiation, a plant spokesman said yesterday.

No one was injured in the fires, which broke out in the same area 10 hours apart, and officials said radioactivity levels remained well within safe limits around the plant.

Dressed in what looked like bloated space suits and helmets. and breathing loudly through respirators, investigators walked past laboratory equipment wrenched apart by an explosion and two fires.

Dozens of alarm bells were still ringing and banks of red lights were flashing as the men tentatively poked through scraps of twisted metal in a building that houses nuclear waste handling facilities.

"Let's keep out of there," said one as they looked into a secondfloor room in which drums full of radioactive material mixed protectively with asphalt are stored. They peered inside to see the floor and ceiling coverings torn apart, and equipment strewn around. On the first floor, near the

asphalt-handling room where the fires broke out, water was splattering down from near the ceiling. The room in which the fire broke out was not shown on the video. The accident - which cxposed more workers to radioactivity than

any other in the history of Japan --immediately increased the criticism faced by the nation's nuclear power system.

The blazes and explosion occurred on the first floor of a four-story building in Tokaimura, a million-square-meter complex with a nuclear fuel reprocessing plant and laboratories, 115 km northeast of Tokyo. The compound contains no nuclear reactor. Damage from the blast was clear in the video. It was edited in several places, and there was no definite indication of where the blast was centered.

Japan already was trying to rebuild trust in its nuclear program, set back by an accident in December 1995 in a prototype fast-breeder reactor, which produces additional pintonium for fuel while generating electricity.



An Albanian rebel peers into a car carrying reporters at a roadblock in Delvine yesterday. Delvine is under rebel control. (Report

Pilot reopens TWA missile theory

NEW YORK (AP) - A military helicopter pilot who witnessed the explosion of TWA Flight 800 repeatedly told investigators he thought a missile struck the plane, according to a source.

The Air National Guard pilot has not been allowed to speak publicly because of an FBI ban on federal employees speaking about the investigation. The pilot, Capt. Chris Baur, is a civilian pilot for US Customs.

Ie

pl

āc

fn

Je

SU

Li

so

ce M·

go

PRK inclu Singl (min 12.8: FRII 198.5 tiona MOAY (min 29.2: Ior 1(word 526.5 dition for 1(word for 1(word 1997.

DEAL Jerus before Thurs Tel A noon, and S and 1

For 1 02-53

THE . ter - 1 vete i furnis 625-1:

Baur's eyewitness report comes to light as critics of the investigation claim to have evidence suggesting that Flight 800 was shot down by an errant US Navy missile. A Pentagon spokesman said investigators had thoroughly probed the issue, even inventorying the Navy's missile arsenal

"Personnel bave been interviewed, records have been checked. There is absolutely no evidence to support

this theory," said Kenneth Bacon. "There was not evidence two months ago, there is not evidence now."

A number of cyewitness accounts said people saw something in the sky the night of the crash. Baur's elear view from the helicopter and his military training would make his account one of the most credible.

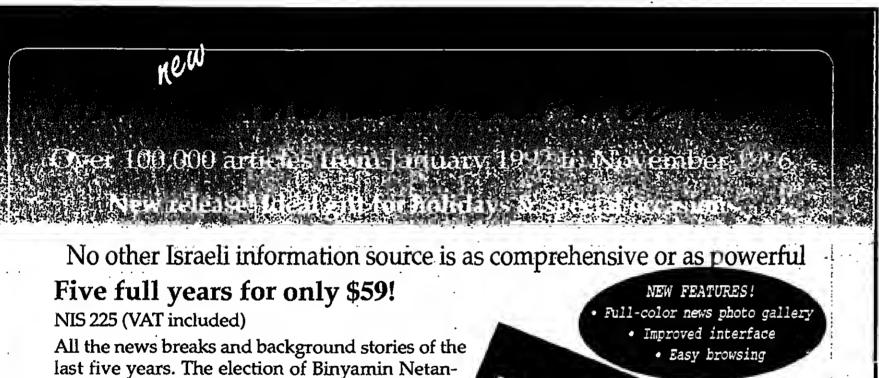
Mechanical failure or a bornb also haven't been ruled out as possible causes of the crash.

Albanian PM wants talks with rebels

TIRANA (Reuter) - Albania's new prime His comments followed appeals from Italy minister, Bashkim Fino, facing a growing and Greece to meet the rebels and an wave of unrest, said yesterday he wanted announcement that a European mediatioo talks with armed rebels holding towns mission led by former Austrian leader Franz. throughout southern Albania. Vranitzky was to return to Tirana today.

As rebellion moved closer to the capital, "I think this is not a time to issue orders on Fino met political parties to discuss forming an either side. It is a time for talks and diainterim government to oversee new elections. logue," Fino told state television.

"Not only my personal (links) but those of my government should be based on good understanding and cooperation with them so that they listen to our options and we listen to theirs." In some parts of the south the rebellion appeared to have deteriorated into law. lessness, with armed gangs roaming at will through rebel-held towns.



Russia's reformers return, anger opponents

MOSCOW (Reuter) - Prime Minister Viktor Chernomyrdin said yesterday he was forming a new government of liberal reformers in a reshuffle the Communist opposition branded "ruinous" for Russia and vowed to fight.

President Boris Ycltsin, firmly back at the belm after many months of illness, has given the premier one week to reorganize his cabinet. Only Chernomyrdin and oew First Deputy Prime Minister Anatoly Chubais are assured of keeping their jobs.

"Professional market economists, firm supporters of the president's course of reforms, will come into the government," Itar-Tass news ageocy quoted Chernomyrdin as saying.

The prospect of more free market moves under Chubais, once ssia's privatization supremo.

Yeltsin's communist and nationalist opponents, approved by 230 votes to 122 a toughly worded res-.. olution condemning the moves.

The changes carried out in the government again illustrate the desire of the current authorities to cootinue the ruinous social-ecocomic course which has brought Russia to the brink of catastropbe," said the resolution. It carries no legal force.

They are an cloquent testimony to the readiness of the leadership to subject Russia and her vital interests to the diktat of the International Monetary Fund andforeign capital," said the resolu-tion, drafted by the Communist faction.

Opposition deputies have been particularly enraged by Yeltsin's decision to draft Chubais, a 41year-old liberal, back into the govPutting best f forwa STREER FAY

Taxa sure

11 A A

Lise C

genio re - 11

ನ ನರ್ಮ ಗಳ

e5.....

E. .

<u> 11 - 11</u>

· · · ·

The second second

ತ್ರದಲ್ಲು

a.

Plant .

20

STEP 11 CONTRACTOR

land-bigt to the the distance

10 m

ERL 1

at any that the

Res 250 toos to a

boge ind

- G 51273 a Kii 227

VIN:

E1-2

CONTRACTOR

SICE.EL.

P...

1 × 2

17 LT.

5 . · · ·

R. Birley

Gars. ----

8875-85 25

بحربتها, يبه

yahu. The Hebron redeployment. Yitzhak Rabin's assassination. Suicide bombers. The Oslo Accords. Negotiations with Jordan and Syria. A vital resource for your desktop.

Complete coverage of developing trends by Israel's only English language daily. Women's rights. Reports on top Israeli companies. Financial data. Tourism. Archeology. History. Law reports. Israel's scientific, technological and medical breakthroughs. The environment. News of the Jewish World.

All the essential developments in this region at your fingertips, complete with full background and incisive analysis.

Produced by JeMM Productions

-- To order, complete the following form and return to:

The Jerusalem Post on CD-Rom, P.O.B. 81, Jerusalem 91000, Israel Tel: 972-2-5315620/621, Fax: 972-2-5315622, E-mail: doreen@jpost.co.il

			0
State	Zip		No
Phone	Fax	E-mail	Expiry Date
Signature			Enclosed is my check for

was chough to drive Moscow's communist-dominated parliament to vote for a furious, though oonbinding, motion condemning the reshuffle

As yet, however, Chernomyrdin has oamed no names but said new ministers will be under 50 with administrative experience.

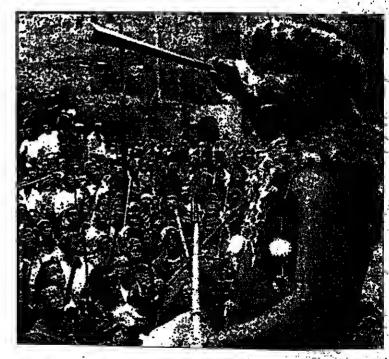
"Now there are all possibilities of forming a united and effective team of serious and responsible profes-sionals," Chernomyrdin said, adding personnel changes could be announced sooner than the sevenday deadline set by Yeltsin.

The State Duma lower house of dominated parliament. by

ernmeot to oversee ecocomic reforms. The resolution called his appointment a "direct challenge to social opinion."

The Duma has limited powers under a 1993 constitution, drawn up after Yeltsin subdued its Soviet-era predecessor with tanks. Since Chernomyrdin stays put in the reshuffle, the Duma will have oo right of review over the new cabinet appointments.

But more seriously, the communists have threatened a general noconfidence motioo which, if voted through twice, would force Yellsin. to either dismiss the government or dissolve the Duma.



Zulu demonstrators gather yesterday in Johannesburg.

Three killed as Zulus march

JOHANNESBURG (Reuter) -Three people were killed and at least four wounded yesterday as Zulu nationalists marched to commemorate the slaying of more than 50 people in a 1994 protest ahead of South Africa's first allrace election.

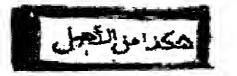
Police said the first two killings occurred in Soweto black township before the rally, while the third was reported soon after the protesters bad arrived in Johannesburg's city center. Reports that violent clashes had

erupted between police and

demonstrators afterwards denied by police on the scene.

We confirm three deaths. Two people were killed in Soweto township and one at the station in town," said police Serge nr Mark Reynolds.

The march was held to commen orate the deaths of at least 55 people as well as the hundreds murred in and around Johannesburg during the 1994 demonstration when supporters of the mainly Zahi-based Inkatha Freedom Party matched m support of Zulu King Goodwill



BAZAAR

World's premiere cheapskate has had enough

my Dacyczyn, editor of the Tightwad Gazette and a

Asalem Post

ebels

Sinkert but topse of

te based to said

Nion with theme

morated into the

The rearring of all

mers

ponents

mmutaist ata tatat **11.** 2001 11 1/2

Category States Contrary to the second

again ana a

Current att mer

anappele states ne what the the

the resolution of the

Bar Dieder Vietze

Militara Militara

No the state in a

Bergh, S. C. T. T.

. Yellow

.

.

.

. .

S 2. 1

....

10 . La

B (1.

the re-

Store"

and the states

997

Sectors 1

1 12 ·····

D SCT 2

10 10 11 14 14 14

Store 2:

19

POINTS ...

¥-cr×-----

e south the tite

A Tightwaa crucesse and the woman once dubbed the "cheapest person alive," says she tas done all she can to push thrift as an alternative lifestyle.

She is retiring from the business. to be a stay-at-home mom in her farmhouse m Maine. From here on, she'll be rinsing our her zip-top plastic bags in private.

Dacyczyn, who rose to national prominence in the recession of the carly 1990s, penned her final newsletter in December. She has just released her last peany-pinching book. Spenditurifis won't be privy to her secrets of saving, whether it's recycling coffee grounds or replacing missing potlid handles with wine corks. One of the most frugal families in

America — Amy; her husband, lim, and their six kids ages five through 13 — will cinch in their secondhand belts yet again. She says she finds "fun" in the challenge of cutting back. Her ultimate goal, she says, always has been to spend more time at home with the kids.

"We're hoping to take this up another notch in terms of saving, says Dacyczyn, whn zipped into Washington for a farewell tour recently in a previously owned \$1.50 dark-green suit.

She's retiring now because she feels she has covered just about every aspect of the frugal lifestyle during her six years of publishing. Dacyczyn wants the ultimate luxury: no job.

"It's about freedom and less dependency on the professional world to get through life," she says. Of course, after the media spotlight departed, her subscriptions did drop off to 30,000 from a onetime high of 100,000.

Are Americans still frugal? She are thought by some to be extreme. ays there's no way to measure, "But we see this as an opportunity says there's no way to measure, unless it's by analyzing the use of to suffer more." cloth diapers or canning jars.

BEING CHEAP has paid off for her. Dacyczyn is retiring as a million-dollar mom.

not so much from shopping at yard (spray with water after use) and

cheapstere wisdom, in Amy Daraczyn nyd per naders leave ps with these first Linnit showers to two minutes.

Lightly sand the edges of wom windshield supers with-

Sudpayer to make them last, Rather than throwing away a science income board cover, use the unscorched parts to make oven units and publiclers.

Bay long distance phone calls, Search for previously owned.

sales or cutting her family's hair at

home but from her savvy peddling

and book form to an overspending

She received thousands of letters;

some communities even started

"tightwad clubs" to share ideas on

using less and saving more. Her

method of washing out and reusing

plastic food-storage bags may be

her most enduring tip to a wasteful

"People think, 'Oh now, she

won't have to suffer anymore,"

says Dacyczyn, whose thoughts on

thrift as a viable alternative lifestyle

public grasping for help.

America.

of her gospel of thrift in newsletter

Super-thrifty tips

From The Tighuson Gappine VCRs or elevision sets abandoned III, the book bring billed as an inpair shope by Somer owners, the final edition of her Generally, the book claims, they

chat

Dacyczyn, 41, already has sold 475,000 copies of her first two books. Now the third one, The Tightwad Gazette III, extends her manua by providing hints on how Her impressive net worth comes to save partially burned charcoal

Generally, the book claims, they cap the purchased for the cost of the

Passes an old chain belt to a wall with cop hooks to create a paper lower dispenser

If your idea of being thinky is

shopping in bulk at warehouse

stores acretinize your cart. "The trend noward wholesale clubs

doesn't mean [people] are becom-ing thiltier, they're just buying more junk bod in bulk."

(The Washington Post).

how to spend less on septic-tank pumping (dig it up yourself).

It is this latest work that brought

her to Washington, and we treated

her to a bowl of soup (cabbage, \$4) in a downtown hotel for a brief

At her rural \$125,000 farmhouse

in Leeds, Maine, Dacyczyn says

she has continued to practice what

she preaches while cashing in on

Dacyczyn had a six-figure

income for six years, allowing the

Dacyczyns to save thousands, they

say, including setting up funds for

educating their kids. Their five-bed-

her novel outlook.

room, Victorian home is paid for. he retired after 21 years of service. With that and investment income. the family's annual income this year will be about \$30,000. Dacyczyn considers herself part of

ALTHOUGH SHE has signed nff from preaching tightwaddery monthly to her subscribers, she's not retiring from baking hread from scratch - with dough not kneaded in a bread machine - or from molding kids' Halloween masks out of dryer lint

a "middle-income family."

Being a stay-at-home mom will be more than a full-time job, especially with her stringent standards. After all, she spends a total of \$50 a year on clothing, and her food bill for a family of eight is \$196 a month. She doesn't own a dishwasher.

She says she is looking forward to the challenge of running a house and getting into the rhythm of it. "I like to ensure there is no food waste. I love planning what goes in the lunch boxes and having children's clothes mended and in riptop condition.

Timing is everything. Dacyczyn lived a fairty spendthrift life until she gnt married in 1982 and realized that her dreams of a large family, a rambling country house and no day care would require drastic lifestyle choices.

In the bloated 1980s, when many baby boomers were out conspicuously consuming, she mixed powdered milk and scoured tag sales. When the downturn came in 1990, she came up with her idea to challenge the wanton habits of overconsuming, dual-income families, many with heavy credit-card debt

CAVEAT EMPTOR!

MEIR RONNEN 097 and profligate spending habits. SHE BEGAN her newsletter dub-

bing herself FZ (the Fragal Zealot) ping paper. "With the exception of my kids, I in June 1990 with an investment of a few thousand dollars. Then after appearing on the cover of Parade don't get fussy about the preparation of anything. Life is short. I'll magazine and as a guest on the Phil save last year's wrapping paper."

Donahue Show, subscriptions Luxaries? poured in. Now that she plans to spend more time at home, might she turn to some of the domestic ideas of Martha Stewart, one of today's barometers of good hnusekeeping? antique furniture. Don't think so.

picture. "This soup is good," she comments. "Not that it's different "The difference between me and Martha Stewart is that what she

SOUD.

ented newsletter for readers who want to keep up with her world. She will charge \$1 for it.

THE TRATWAD

GAZETTE

resourceful people. We have a world of frugal adventures."

small things. For those who squirt once instead of twice with dishwashing liquid or who cut an inch toothpaste in half, Amy of Dacyczyn has made her mark and saved them some spare change. (The Washington Post)

FLAIR **Putting your** best foot forward

By GREER FAY CASHMAN

ootwear sales will undoubtedly soar this summer, because at long last we have something radically different, if not exactly new to those of us who were around during the flowerchild and punk cras.

The drab, boringly neutral colors which have characterized the accessory scene for most of the



NII requirements for hired help protect both employer, worker

BY RUTHE BLUM

n acquaintance recently called to ask about National Insurance (NII) payments for a new cleaning woman she'd hired, who did not want to provide them with an ID number.

Employers of household help (cleaning staff, gardeners, mothers' helpers, caretake elderly etc.) are required by law to pay National Insurance for each such

the NII office in which his file is being han-

Each replacement, or additional worker, must be reported and registered as described earlier. 12.5.1

And here is where we get to the question I was originally asked to settle: whether it is possible to pay the insurance for an employee without providing the NII with a specific me and ID num

deductibles based on the (false) claim that their wives are unemployed. This is also true of people collecting unemployment insurance.

As a result, the NH will accept payment from an employer, as long as he can provide at least the name of the household employee in question.

The NII does not recommend rifling rough ID numbers deceitfully. Instead, employers should theoretically be able to convince employees to submit willingly - to protect their own rights - or not hire anyone refusing to "insist" on his rights.

does is expensive in terms nf money and time. Martha Stewart expends a lot of energy on single events, like wood-graining wrap-

She plans an annual family-ori-

"Jim and I are creative and

Her legacy may be measured in She will spend money on hig cars Chevy Suburbans - to hold her large family, on dental care and braces or on an occasional piece of Restaurants are not part of the

from good leftover soup at home. This is about 10 cents worth of

bow of irresistible options which will make coordinated dressing much more fun.

Citrus hues duminate the spring/summer fashion palette, and many of us are going to be walking around in tangerine, lemon and time dresses or separates and teaming them with matching or contrasting accessories.

Knee-high boots in vibrant shades of turquoise, peurol blue, tomato, orange, mustard and fuch-sia pink will be an integral part of mix-and-match dressing, resulting in spectacularly dramatic effects when worn with black cat suits or black minis and black tights.

They also look good with white or beige and slightly funky with one or several other bright colors but not nearly as eye-catching as they do with black or chocolate DROWD.

Because summer styling in



This summer's trend: Knee-high boots, these by Lafayette. (heik almo)

clothes is almost starkly simple, some women a greater sense of the bright boots will give a lift to stability. any darkly hued outfit. Nn less welcome than the bril-

If boots are not your thing, don't liant footwear will be the matching worry, shoes and sandals will be bags and purses, which at last are equally colorful. Though flatcoming in sizes that can accommoheeled varieties are available, the date a lot more than credit cards, general trend is back to very high lipstick, fragrance vial and tissues. Those tiny purses that looked so heels, with classic stilettos comcute, but carried almost nothing, peting with equally high, somewhat chunkier heels which give are almost but not quite history.

employee. Technically, the employer nf hnusehold help is supposed 10 report and register a hnuschold employee at the NII office in his area within two weeks of having hired the emplayee.

This applies to anyone employing a worker for more than six days - even if the wnrk performed was not continuous during this period.

After dning-sn, he will be given a file and number which will remain in his name for future reference

Payment for the employee's insurance is made twice a year: once nn July 10 (m cover the mnnths of January through June). and nnce on January 10 (to cover the months of July through December).

When each nf these dates approaches, the NII will send employers both a form and standard hill, which can be paid at any bank.

As soon as any home employee stops working, the employer is required to inform

BARGAIN BASEMENT

IBM ELECTRIC TYPEWRITER -

dehaxe, Hebrew only, good condition, NIS 105. 02-561-1418, NS.

MINI-DISHWASHER - Princess-

used, NIS 350 o.b.o. 052-407581, NS.

COAT AND JACKET - for all seasons,

from US, NIS 80. 02-678-8165.

02-652-1788, NS.

628-7005.

02-679-2273.

In other words, am I allowed to pay the NII for an anonymons "cleaning woman," and thus be covered in the event that she has

an accident in my house and sues the NII for disahility? Technically, the answer is a flat "no." The purpose of paying this insurance is not only to protect an employer from having to dule nut lnts of money in the event that he's sued, but in printect the rights of the employee, by ensuring that he receive the full extent nf benefits guaranteed him by

law. In practice, however, the business is a hit more flexible than the legal mumbo-jumbn and pamphlet fine print would have us believe.

The NII department dealing with enliecting fees from employers is aware of the fact that most hnuschold employees keep their ID numbers a secret - due to a desire to keep all nf their earnings nut nf any official books.

This practice is especially true of women whose hosbands receive income-tax Jerusalem.

And though there is nn certainly guarantee that the Income Tax Authority will not "catch on" to some nf these illegal tricks hy getting hold of NII records, so far it hasn't been done.

For further information, contact the NII in vnur area.

The organization's liead office is located in Jerusalem at 13 Sderot Weizmann, Tel.: (02) 670-9211.

For general NII informatinn for the publie, countrywide, call: (03) 695-6348. Fnr the affice nearest yon, look in your telephone directory.

Ynu are invited in affer personal staries about goods and services in this country. Write to: Ruthie Blum, POB 81, 91000

affectionate. 03-732-0179.

4847.

FEMALE DOG - 7 months, medium size, friendly, vaccinated, likes children,

looking for good bome. David, 02-641-

MALE CAT - beautiful, sweet, vaccinat

needs wann home. 02-566-6455.

ed, box-trained, 5 months old, nentered

KITTEN - very special indoor cat, fully vaccinated, healthy, affectionate, avail-

able only to quiet, adult home. 02-561-7890, NS.

KITTEN - gorgeous, very friendly, beige, free to good home. 02-628-3521, NS.

BABY BUNNIES - born, February 18

50. 02-652-8626, NS.

choice of colors, NIS 30 each, 2 for NIS

1.

OFFERS

BABY CRIB - large, US-made, with mattress, pad and sheets, NIS 350. 03-546-6725.

AMCOR MIXER - including blender meat grinder, juicer (carrots, oranges), perfect condition, NIS 300. 03-618-5256.

SINGLE BED - complete, NIS 100; bathroom cabinet, NIS 50; dress suit, NIS 100; kitchen table, NIS 50; cup-

board, NTS 50, 09-957-6118. BABY WALKER - collapsible, NIS 50.

09-833-8850. JAMES BOND ATTACHE CASE black, almost new, NIS 70 o.b.o. 03-523-

MISHNA - Hebrew, hardback, NIS 65; Jewish Humor, by Ephraim Kishon, NIS

15. 84.824-2207. CARPET - Carnel, 2x3, good condi-tion, NIS 300 o.b.o. 09-834-6872, eves.,

ELECTRIC HEATER - Fabr, NIS 200; electric citrus juices, Brann, NJS 70.

WASHING MACHINE - Zobar, working condition, NIS 350. 03-534-5739,

affermoons/eves. SPUTNIK HAND WASHING MACHINE - never used, NIS 130, 03-

PURIM CARDS FROM YAD SARAH -NIS 18 pays for a gift basket to a needy old person. 02-644-4425, or 43 Hanevi'm SL, Jernsalem.

MAD' MAGAZINES - 12 issues, NIS 50, Mad about the '60s, NIS 50, Aviva Yocheved, 02-652-1788, NS, not after

YOUTH BED - good condition, opens

to 2 beds plus blanket storage, MIS 350. DESK - new, still in box, NIS 350. 02-02-651-2477.

COSTUME PATTERNS - minutes.

clowns, Superman - most never used, various children's sizes, NIS 12 cach 02-652-4420.

DISPLAY CABINET - wood and glass, 150x150, NIS 175; convector heater,

NIS 45; radiator, NIS 45. 02-671-5067. LADIES' WOOL COAT - black, NIS 180; boys' bicycle helmet, NIS 50; boys' black leather shoes, new, NIS 50; calco-lator printer, new, NIS 65, 02-651-1763,

NS. CUPBOARD - acw, Ikea, 2-door, black/beech, 107 cm. long, 73 cm high, NIS 300; ceiling light, colored glass pan-els, NIS 50, 02-581-7287. COMPUTER KEYBOARD -Ergonomic, for 80286-80486 compati-ble, never used, NIS 150, 02-641-4802. PERFUMES - Perry Ellis, new, women's, NIS 120; white imen, 3/4, NIS 00; shoes, men, new, 10 W - NIS 140. 90; shoes, men, new, 10 W - NIS 140. 02-627-2189, NS. BERBER RUG - white, 2'x 1.50, good condition, NIS 150, 02-566-1005, NS. MEN'S OVERCOAT/RAINCOAT -

with zip-out lining, targe size, new, NIS 350. 02-561-7041... STOVE - good condition, with Shabbat switch, NIS 350. 02-566-1005, NS.

BABY BATH - new, pink plastic, with drain, NIS 30; orthopedic shoes, black, leather, size 39B, almost new, NIS 50.

MEN'S SUIT - good condition, NIS 250, men's jacket, good condition, NIS 60, 02-651-3232. DIMOS ATTRO

DINOSAURS - large molded plastic, new, 6 for NIS 150. 02-652-1788, NS,not after 9:30 p.m. KITCHEN TABLE - white formica, 90

W x 120-150-180, excellent condition. NTS 350. 02-651-8022, NS.

NIS 300, 02-001-00/22, NS. BAILEY'S IRISH CREAM LIQUEUR - NIS 90; Canadian maple syrup, liter, NIS 25, 02-561-7728, NS. DINING TABLE - 110 X 70, expandable, medium dark wood, protective

glass top, plus 3 chairs, NIS 350. 02-672-1239. CONVERSE REACT ALL-STAR

SHOES - new, black with white trim, size 47, NIS 240, 02-651-4108, NS. GARBAGE DISPOSAL - Insinterator, new in box, 220 V., NIS 350. 02-656-EXERCISE BICYCLE - with

edometer, timer, excellent condition, NIS 250. 02-581-3384.

VACUUM CLEANER - excellent condition, NIS 200. 02-676-6036. Z TODDLER GATES - NIS 100 each o.b.o. 02-586-9960.

BLOOD PRESSURE CUFF - and stethoscope, NIS 100; 2 medical rubber hammers, NIS 10 each: Rotodent electric tooth cleaner, new, NIS 100; Wonder pot, new, NIS 25; G.E. electric hand mixer, needs transformer, NIS 25. 02-566-6230. 2 LADIES' JACKETS - black and beige, size 44, pure wool, NIS 150 each. 02-679-2694, eves.

4 SETS BED LINEN - American, no press, king size, NIS 80 each. 02-679-81134 APPLE IIC - excellent condition,

includes monitor, mouse, joystick, assorted software, NIS 350. 02-533-

4741. COFFEE TABLE - large, 90x90, 10 mm, thick glass top, white wooden base, NIS 350. 02-534-8183.

MBA BOOKS - 2 GMAT review, 3 guides to MBA programs, NIS 250 or NIS 50 each. 02-535-1067, NS.

AIR NIKE - new, size 44, NIS 300. 02-585-8003. 3 PAURS CORDUROY PANTS - size

33732, in brown, beige, and khaki, never worn, NIS 100 each. 02-563-2498, NS. bags. 02-563-8059. CHAMBERS ENCYCLOPEDIA-full set, NIS 50; PC computer with Q-text 5 and printer, NIS 300 for both. 02-563-

WINTER COAT ~ with hood, 3/4 leagth, never worn, NIS 350. 02-S66-6269.

2 PAIRS BEIGE CURTAINS - 2.63 x 1.86, 2.63 X 2.60, NIS 200; 3-drawer bureau, NIS 100; file cabinet, NIS 50, 02-563-2333. COLOR TY - 22", NIS 350, 02-671-

6316. GAME GEAR - including magnifier transformer and 5 games, all for NIS 350.02-566-6873, NS. CAMCORDER MINOLTA

RECHARGEABLE BATTERIES -NIS 150 o.b.o. 02-652-8626. BABY SWING - new, Graco, NIS 160. 02-561-7872. CASSUTO BIBLE - complete, perfect NIS 75, 02-582-8228.

SHALOM PIPES - excellent condition, condition_NIS 350, 02-652-1789, from 5 NIS 40 each; suitcase on wheels, NIS 100. 02-642-3351, AND I SHALL DWELL AMONG THEM' - book on historic synagogues in the world, by Neil Folberg, NIS 120. MEN'S REEBOKS - black leather, size

9 1/2, new, NIS 175; new US Disney videos: Oliver & Co., It Takes Two, and Jurassic Park, NIS 50 each. 02-535-7166. 'JEWISH 'PRESS' - back issues, free, 1974-76. 02-566-2977. BUREAU - American-style, large,

WANTED

wood, 9 drawers, 200 cm. wide, 51 cm. . deep, NIS 350, 02-561-1114. OLYMPUS POCKET CAMERA AF-1 FOREIGN EDITIONS OF PLAYBOY excellent condition, NIS 120. Tony, 02-- 06-656-7331. ARTSCROLL/FELDHEIM BOOKS

- in English, used. 03-619-2698. eves. PRAYERBOOKS FROM INDIA - any condition, to buy. Yosef, 08-924-7891. 486 COMPUTER - with or without

Telsa, 49x47x57 cm, old but very little screen. 09-862-2690. SOFA - comfortable, cheap. 02-531-5678/676-7967.

OIL-FILLED ELECTRIC RADIA-TOR - Chromex, hardly ased, perfect condition, NIS 250, 02-671-9559. GAN HARMONY - in search of mos recorders, CD Rom and bean bag chair for physical therapy. Kimberly, 02-563-SUNRIDER SHAMPOO - big size, 4029

USED AQUARIUMS AND EQUIP-MENT-02-626-4647.

small/medium, good condition, NIS 120. OLD WRISTWATCHES - hobbyist 2 PURIM GROGGERS - small NIS watchmaker will purchase forgotten 90; large, NIS 260 - both with decoramechanical watches, gold/steel, tive, traditional themes, with draw-string

Hamilton, Jacger, other, any condition. 02-675-8389/02-679-8129. CAR BOOSTER SEAT - toaster oven. COFFEE TABLE - NIS 70; desk, NIS TV & VCR. 02-993-1266.

90; 2 bods, NIS 90 (both); 2 white TVideo stands, NIS 50 each. 02-991-4846, MOOSE HEAD - or similar animal to borrow for one week. 02-673-1813. REEBOK SHOES - new, ladies', size 8 STRIP LIGHTS - for illuminating (US), white leafter, "Classic" walking shoes, NIS 275 o.b.o. 02-676-0543, NS. paintings, all sizes. 02-581-0254. BOOKS ABOUT TEACHING TOD-HOUSESTITING - by lady MLA., as of DLER - about birth of a sibling, 02-651-21 March, for 4 weeks or less. 02-563-1854

LIVING-ROOM FURNITURE - in 2 HEAD BOARDS - for single beds excellent condition. 02-643-4567. TAPE RECORDER - in good condiwith attached or unattached side table,

tion, to buy, 02-571-1988. CORNER SOFA/SETTRE - each part separate, reasonable price, 02-590-2525. PIANO - good quality German, English with storage space, white/cream color, NIS 150 each. 02-533-5902, eves. FLUTE - in good condition, ideal for beginner, includes case stand and first finite book, NIS 350 0.b.o. 02-567-7212. or American, at reasonable prices. 02-

ROLLER BLADES - professional, US-533-2290. SECRET WAR AGAINST THE made, size 9/10 (ladies/men), NIS 220 JEWS'-02-561-7728, NS. MAYTAG GAS DRYER - 02-566-

BED - size 1.90 L x 0.75 W x 0.25 H, to fit under bunk bed. 02-585-9177. COLOR TV & VCR - 02-673-6610. USED ENGLISH BOOKS - to dispose of? Will collect. 02-566-1698, NS. MOSES BASKET - for newborn baby, to bay or borrow, 02-625-8147. PC 386 OR 486 - for learning disabled children. 02-626-0181 (work). KEREN KLITA - seeks furniture for new olim, will collect. 02-678-8277, NS. PETS 3-MONTH-OLD KITTEN - boxtrained and vaccinated, desperate - am

leaving Israel, free to good home. 06-658.3

ONLY THREE LEFT - smart, charm-FEMALE CAT - 10 months, spayed, ing, half-collic pups, available immedivaccinated, needs loving home, very stely. 652-3752.



BARGAIN BASEMENT accepts ads of up to 20 words free of charge on these conditions:

- Only one ad per Jerusalem household per week.
 Prices in the "Offers" column <u>must</u> be stated in shekels.
 Total cost of items per ad must not exceed NIS 350.
 The text must be printed clearly in English and submitted on the coupon below. The following are NOT accepted: business offers; apartment sales, rentals or exchanges; car sales; job offers; situations wanted; solicitations for donations; offers of marriage or other personal relationships.

The right to reject or edit and ad is reserved

Ads must be addressed to:

Donable	Basement

in Jerus	salem, PO	8 81, Jei	usalem !	91000
and must	reach us b	y noon Thi	ursday of t	he week
	publication			
arle may	he hold own	r and publ	ichod the t	intimuing way

and must reach us by noon I nurscray of the week	DIA PUDISHA
preceding publication, Because of space limitations,	please resub
ads may be held over and published the following week.	COURSES
The price of each item must be stated.	coupon
The prive of each light must be stated.	

PLEASE

your ad

Name			
Address	· · · ·	ĩel	
MESSAGE:		·	

···· · ·- - · · ·

OPINION

Thursday, March 13, 1997 The Jerusalem Post



JEFF BARAK, Editor CARL SCHRAG. Managing Editor AMOTZ ASA-EL, Associate Editor, Bus DAVID BRINN, News Editor ELIOT ZIMELMAN, Night Editor LEORA EREN FRUCHT, Features Editor THOMAS O'DWYER. Foreign Editor JUDY MONTAGU. Op-Ed Editor

AVI GOLAN, Executive Vice President, Marketing & Advertising

PAUL STASZEWSKI. CPA, Vice President, Finance

YOSSI HORN, Vice President, Production

BENZION MILLER. Tel Aviv Office Manager

F. DAVID RADLER Chairman, Board of Directors YEHUDA LEVY, President & Publisher

Founded in 1932 by GERSHON AGRON

EDITORIAL OFFICES AND ADMINISTRATION The Jerusalem Post Building, P.O. Box 81, Romema, Jerusalem 91000 Telephone 02-531-5666, Fax 02-538-9527, CIRCULATION---02-531-5610, Fax 02-538-9017, ADVERTISING - 02-531-5608, 02-531-5637-40 Fax 02-538-8408, TEL AVIV: 5 Rehov Hamasger, POB 28396 (61283) Telephone 03-6390333, Fax 6390277, HAIFA 20 Nordau, Hadar Hacannel, Telephone 04-8623166, Published daily except Sanırday, in Jerusalem, Israel by The Palestine Post Ltd. Printed by The Jerusalem Post Press in Jerusalem. Registered at the G.P.O. © The Jerusalem Post 1997, Reproduction, or storage in a retrieval system, or in any other form, is prohibited without permission. Editors: 1932-1955 GERSHON AGRON, 1955-1974 TED LURE, 1974-1975 LEA BEN-DOR, 1975-1989 ARI RATH and ERWIN FRENKEL, 1990-1992 N. DAVID GROSS, 1992-1996 DAVID BAR-ILLAN 1992-1996 DAVID BAR-ILLAN

INTERNET EDITION: http://www.jpost.co.il General E-mail: jpedt@jpost.co.il Editorial E-mail:editors@jpost.co.il Subscriptions E-mail: subs@jpost.co.il

Sharing the burden

TV ing Hussein's pained and painful letter placing any hurden of restraint and responsibilto Prime Minister Binyamin Netanyahu must be taken seriously. There can be no questioning the king's sincere desire for the success of the peace process, and even his desire to deepen the warm peace with Israel. The king himself, however, also bears responsibility not to return to the rejectionist stance he held during the Gulf war, and not to ape Egypt's spoiler role.

Hussein makes numerous charges, large and small, concerning "accumulating tragic actions" that are "fast sliding [Arabs and Israelis] towards an abyss of bloodshed and disaster." The king continues, "Your course of actions seem bent on destroying all I believe in or have striven to achieve with the Hashemite family since Faisal the First and Abdullah to the present times." Harsh words. In a letter of response, Netanyahu not only denies that he is destroying the peace process, hut claims that it is he who has saved it from oblivion. "I inherited a process that was failing," writes the prime minister. "The country was suffering its worst terrorist wave in its history, with bus bombs going off in the heart of Israeli cities and a devastating mini-war taking a heavy toll in Lebanon. By election time, the peace process

was in its death throes." Netanyabu's letter continues, "Rather than let the Oslo process die after the elections, I sought to revive it. I have taken decisions that even my predecessors were extremely reluctant to attempt."

It is certainly ironic to hear Netanyahu proudly claim credit for saving an agreement that he continues to attack. Even if one discounts the claim of saving Oslo from non-believers such as Shimon Peres, it is true that Oslo under Netanyahu has received a substantial shot in the arm. Under Netanyahu, the withdrawal from most of Hehron, and indirectly, the Oslo Accord itself received an unprecedented 87-vote majority in the Knesset.

fn

SU

OT

an Li

SO

Ce

м

m

Ne

- tu

: 8

ċ

£

ċ

ÌΠ

si

PRK inclu Singl (min 12.8" FRII 198.1 tiona PRII 198.1 tiona 29.2! WEE lor 1 word 526.5 didon for 1 word 1997

OEA! Jeru: befor Thur: Tet /

noon and t and 1

For 1 02-53

THE ter vate lurni 625-

f

Before Hehron, the charge that Netanyahu was destroying the peace process, though unfair, was in the realm of credibility - he had not shown whether he would abide by Oslo or seek to extract Israel from the agreement. Now that Netanyahu has gone to considerable lengths to fulfill Oslo, he is being accused, in effect, of not doing so with enough enthusiasm and generosity. In this context, it is hardly fair for Hussein lo

ree of notentially

ity on the Palestinians. With respect to Israel's decision to build a

Jewish neighborhood on Har Homa in Jerusalem, Hussein accuses Netanyahu of "maneuver[ing] our Palestinian hrethren into inevitable violent resistance." In fact, violence is only inevitable if key leaders such as King Hussein do not reject violence as a legitimate component of the peace process. If the king sees the threat of Palestinian violence as such a dire threat to the peace process, why does he not call for Palestinian restraint? As a leader who has taken his share of courageous risks for peace, Hussein has the right to request that Netanyahu resist pressures against him that are contrary to a hroader view of Israel's interests. By the same token, Hussein should not simply adopt every Palestinian demand as his own, and refuse to stand up to Palestinian threats of violence that, by his own lights, severely threaten the peace process.

It would be very worrisome if Hussein's letter to Netanyabu reflected a return to the period of the Gulf war, when he took the side of Iraq against the US-led coalition that saved Kuwait. At that time, we were expected to understand the domestic pressures he was under, yet Hussein dismisses the pressures on Netanyahu to build in Jerusalem. It is one thing to ask Netanyahu not to huild new settlements in remote corners of Judea and Samaria; quite another to suggest that Israel not act as sovereign in its own capital.

When asked Tuesday about his letter to Netanyahu, while Israeli papers were full of incorrect and scathing leaks from the supposed text, Hussein pointed his finger at the camera and asked the public to remember that he feels a "duty to the Israeli public as well." This is a truly admirable sentiment, and one that no other current Arab leader would express.

It is also encouraging that Defense Minister Yitzhak Mordechai was greeted warmly this week in Jordan, and that relations between the two militaries seem unaffected hy the current ebb in relations at the top. At the end of the day, however, it is not possible for Jordan to maintain a close relationship with Israel and Israelis while unfairly demonizing Israel's prime minister.

It is appropriate for Netanyahu to work harder in treating Hussein as a partner and a friend in the peace process. There are gestures etanyahu could have made recently to



Smile for the cameras!

🦳 inyamin Netanyahu is a victim of the travel bug. He likes nothing better than to lay aside coalition woes and the Bar-On scandal, and forget sinking popularity polls and his mother's criticism hy taking off for Washington, Amman, and Moscow.

No sooner was he back from the US than he accepted a surprise invitation from Cairo to a party on the Nile. There, as in other capitals, he smiled happily at his host, President Mubarak.

Why was the prime minister in such a hurry to grab his toothhrush and rush off to Egypt last week? Did he or his aides have even fleeting second thoughts about accepting Mubarak's hospitality? For months our government has

been assailing Mubarak for his vicious verbal bombardment of Netanyahu and Israel. And with good reason.

Egypt obstructed the Hebron withdrawal negotiations, egging Yasser Arafat on to take a more and more extremist line - so much so that Washington was finally forced to tell Mubarak: "Cool it, or else."

To complaints hy the House Committee about strident antisemitism in the Egyptian media, Muharak's foreign minister replied disingenuously in the US: "All Arabs are Semites. How can we be antisemites?"

At the same time, a skillful public relations exercise was under way back in Cairo, with the kind cooperation of Binyamin Netanyahu.

Clearly, the front-page press

URI DAN DENNIS EISENBERG Netanyahu with his name misspelt to read "he stinks" in Arabic, And the pyramids.

The press conference in Egypt

revealed the true depth of

Egyptian antagonism to Israel.

Asked an Egyptian woman jour-

nalist: "Are yon about to bomb

Americans treat hlacks in their

ed: "We have a free press here.

And what about The Jerusalem

Post, which is attacking both me

Mubarak's comment was broad-

cast hy international TV as a state-

ment of fact. No one pointed out

the obvious: that there is no such

thing as a free press in Egypt.

Nothing can appear without gov-

luxurious Dahara Palace. To end

the day, Netanyahu had the dubi-

ous pleasure of being introduced

to a group of Egyptian so-called intellectuals.

came from the gutter. Why do you

have a racist, Hitler-like policy

toward the Palestinians and Arabs

announced the secession hid, and

Federal Prime Minister Denzil

Nevis, then so be it, and my gov-

ernment will not stand in the

But the islands' neighbors aren't

"The fragmentation of the

and

Caribbean people, already mar-

"If secession is the choice of

Douglas said he didn't object.

way," Douglas said,

pleased.

The questions aimed at him

The last salvo was fired at the

emment approval or diktat.

and Egypt all the time?"

somehody in the region, like Begin did when he illegally an Al-Akhbar cartoon showed a attacked the Iraqis' nuclear car with Netanyahu's name on the plant?" And another voice: "Why number plate facing a large traffic do you treat Palestinians like the sign declaring: "Entry forbidden to Cairo.'

To add insult to injury, during south?" Further hostile questions to Netanyahu followed. the two hours the two leaders sat Finally, an angry Shimon Shiffer together with only their translators from Yedios Aharanos got up and present, Muharak behaved like an asked: "Why all these hostile arrogant interrogator, cross-examquestions to our prime minister? ining Netanyabu by means of a Why the ceaseless attacks against prepared questionnaire he held in Israel in the Egyptian press?" Laconically, Mubarak respondhis hand.

Netanyabn acquitted himself well, we were told, spinning his vision of peace in the Middle East. "Our president looks bewildered

hy Netanyahu's oratory," commented an English-speaking Egyptian journalist at the press conference that followed. "So are Israelis," quipped a nearby voice, in Hebrew,

Hosni Mubarak doesn't need a public relations firm to polish his image. He's got

Israel's premier

in the Middle East? Why do you treat Arabs like hlacks are treated More disturbing was the next remark from the Egyptian: "We already knew all about you being in the US's southern states? And from a retired general: "I can see, Mr. Netanyahu, that you

names JEREMY MAISSEL **7**ou don't have to be a Sherlock Holmes to work out the etymology of a

name like Ahrahamson. And you don't need to be a cryptanalyst to decode names like Shmuelewitz, Davidian or Yitzhakshvilli. Such names, where the suffix indicates the geographical origin of the family, are widespread amongst Jews everywhere.

'Maiden'

۲. ۱۹۹۹ - ۲۰۰۹ - ۲۰۰۹ - ۲۰۰۹ - ۲۰۰۹ ۱۹۹۹ - ۲۰۰۹ - ۲۰۰۹ - ۲۰۰۹ - ۲۰۰۹ - ۲۰۰۹ - ۲۰۰۹ - ۲۰۰۹ - ۲۰۰۹ - ۲۰۰۹ - ۲۰۰۹

Pul

can't.

mar

probl

17.14

100

Ŧ

EL 711

.

÷ •••. •

C.

1 te. . . .

27.1

276

The second

2.1

)ü:

ಮನೆಯನ್ನು ಎಂದ

· · · ·

Î-

23.5

4

la si na

Nie star

S-12 ----

10 F ...

ajor NEW

ONC

TIONA

I Edition

ECONCISE (

DICTIONA

REGULAR EDITI THUMB INDEX E

15% more cos

5.15 2 mer

he lerusaly

THECONC

Ninth Editi

16 A.C

÷.,

MT1 *

....

Ibn-Haim (the Arah communities), Ahramov (Russia), Yitzhak-Pur (Persia), and Ahramovski (Slavic countries) to mention hut a few - are Jewish patronymics honoring family heroes. All incorporating "son of," they are a natural way for revered names to be passed down the generations and the

ages. What about women's names? Recent press reports regarding complaints received hy the Israel Women's Network said the Interior Ministry was ignoring a February 1996 amendment to the Names Law legislating that a woman's name is no longer to be automatically changed to her husband's name on marriage:

"The law thus recognizes that a person's family name is part of an individual's identity, and is not to be changed unless the individual so requests."

The ministry, it seems, is still automatically "updating" women's names. In reply to charges of foot-dragging, it cites. technical reasons for the delay in implementing the new direc-

What do Isaac **Bashevis Singer,** tzhak Periman and **Malcolm Rifkind** have in common?

tives. New computerization next month will enable the legislation to be effected.

The practice in which a woman retains her maiden name on marrying is a statement, certainly. But it is a hollow one, at best. First, although it is called a "maiden name," all it does is preserve the name of the "maiden's" father.

Secondly, with social attitudes to women becoming more favorable with time, it is fairly likely that a "maiden's" father will be less of a feminist than the husband whose name she declines to

assume.

idle Netanyahu with the "bury[ing] the peace process for all times." Is there no room to credit Netanyahu with sharing the king's fundamental desire for, as Hussein poetically describes it, "the final reconciliation of all the descendants of the children of Abraham?" The king's letter refrains not only from giving Netanyahu any credit, hut from

Hussein, such as allowing him to fly Palestinian Authority Chairman Yasser Arafat from Amman to Gaza. But the king cannot expect all his advice to be taken, and should not place the peace process's entire burden of compromising, taking risks, and resisting public pressure on Israel's doorstep.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

POTENCY OF SYMBOLS POLISH RESTITUTION

Sir, - Readers of J. Bushinsky's article "Insult and injury" (March 5) on restitution of Jewish communal property in Poland may get the impression that Poland does not intend to proceed with restitution in an open and honest way, which is a serious misunderstanding. Had the author doublechecked information on the subject he would have probably restrained himself from rather irresponsible comments which are both unjust and miss the point.

It is not true that "the legislation would compensate only a minuscule remnant of Polish Jewry ...in only nine Polish cities." Firstly, it is not a law dealing with compensation hut with restitution of property of religious communities only. Secondly, the law enables proper organizations and institutions to set up a foundation which will be legally authorized to take care of the property. Both WJRO and the World Federation of Polish Jews may become partners in the foundation provided it is deemed appropriate.

It is also untrue that the legislation takes into account only nine cities in Poland where contemporary Jewish religious communities have been established. Activities of the foundation will cover the whole territory of Poland, with the hope that it will support active people willing to contribute to the communities of Bialystok, Luhlin etc., which the author mentions as "no man's land," in regards to the process of restitution. However, implementation of the

law depends on both sides. On understanding the essence of friendly Polish-Jewish relations. of using the language of cooperation and dialogue which has been the aim of the Polish legislators but regrettably not of the author of the article.

ZBIGNIEW SZUMIELEWICZ Press Counselor Embassy of Poland in Israel Tel Aviv.

Sir, - One should never underestimate the potency of symbols. Yasser Arafat understands this perfectly. Whenever he appears in public, his keffeyeh is carefully draped into a shape representing the whole of western Palestine. The significance of this may be lost on some, but it is fully comprehended hy his followers.

A related symbol is the charter of the PLO, most of which is devoted to the desire to eliminate Israel. The fact remains that this symbol, central to the raison d'etre of the PLO, still exists intact. Any successor to Arafat could claim. with justification, that its aim has still to be accomplished. Until we have the "reciprocity"

of the cleansing in the charter of all references to the destruction of Israel, further negotiations with the Palestinians should be postponed.

OSCAR DAVIES

EASY CONVERSIONS

Jerusalem.

Sir, - The inference in the edito-"Strength in numbers' rial (February 28) that easier conversion, particularly for immigrants from the former Soviet Union and the Ethiopian Falash Mura, would significantly affect the Jewish people's demographic decline relative to the hurgeoning general world population is a numerical fantasy. There are people who would convert if the process was standardized and easier, hut their numbers would not begin to approach the billions of Christians, Moslems, Hindus and Buddhists.

The enormous Jewish impact on history and culture has resulted not from quantitative factors, but from qualitative factors. For example. Judaism's central role in the emergence of Christianity and Islam and the relationship of a tiny Jewish minority to these two massive surrounding societies.

ROBERT KIRK Upper Nazareth.

Sir, - How many casualties in the security zone will it take before we learn what France and the United States so painfully learned? The battle against a guerrilla or terrorist force which has the support of the local population is a hopeless effort.

LEBANAM

But Lebanon need not become for us Lehanam, as in Vietnam. The local populace can be made to learn that it is more painful for them to harbor and assist the enemy than it is to resist their presence. That can he accomplished without our soldiers being on the ground there if each enemy excursion across our border is met with a massive destruction by artillery of the area from which they attack plus damage to the utilities serving the public, such as power stations and water supply. Soon enough the message will get through to the civilians and to the government that it is in their interest to stop the terror.

GERALD SCHROEDER Jerusalem.

INEPT AND NAIVE

Sir, - Whatever the outcome of the Bar-On affair, Prime Minister Binyamin Netanyahu has shown himself not to be the one to lead the country.

Even if we assume that he is innocent of any deliberate wrongdoing in the issue, we are left with one or both of the following conclusions:

He is extremely superficial, slipshod and dilettante. Witness his haste to rush Bar-On's appointment through his government, whereas the vital appointment of our UN ambassador is still pend-

He is totally inept and shockingly naive to have been forced hy others to push for the Bar-On appointment under the circumstances.

L.M. SHORR

Jerusalem.

photos and TV focus on the Egyptian and Israeli leaders shaking hands and looking frankly into each other's eyes was aimed at deflecting any criticism that might be aimed at Egypt during Mubarak's US visit.

How could Netanyahu walk into this trap? Didn't he see that an exaggerated display of friendship with Mubarak would discourage the Anti-Defamation League in New York and others, Jews and non-Jews, in their protest against the vicious Egyptian antisemitic onslaught? Little wonder a New York columnist recently described Israelis as "the dumbest Jews in the world."

An Israeli Foreign Ministry official shook his head in disbelief over Netanyahu's haste in going off to Cairo. He asked a writer of this column: "What was the purpose of the trip - other than to help Mubarak ward off justifiable criticism in the US?

"Isn't it clear that Egypt has been playing the same game for 19 years? It's all politeness and smiles in Cairo - then the moment vour back is turned, they damn you with their curses."

Truly none are so blind as those who will not see.

HOURS before Netanyahu's Kittians. arrival, Al-Wafd ran a cartoon of

PICTURE POSTSCRIPT

forced to pull out of 10 percent of the West Bank. The Americans told us."

and

Mubarak.

Suddenly it was all crystal-clear. Netanyahu responded sharply, The whole first-stage West Bank great as usual in debate. Perhaps the Egyptians should withdrawal was American-crafted have told the departing Israeli choreographed. And leader to "have a nice day." After Netanyahu's visit to Cairo was all, Netanyahu had given Mubarak also planned by the US, to ensure a priceless PR gift, which the that the State Department could

then roll out the red carpet for Egyptian would use well in the US. Criticism of Mubarak's recep-The writers are authors of The tion would thus be muted, hy pic-Mossad: Secrets of the Israeli tures of all that "coziness" with Secret Service and other books on the Israeli leader in the shadow of the Middle East.

POSTSCRIPTS

ONE OF THE world's tiniest countries may become even tinier. Nevis – a Caribbean isle known for heaches favored by young British royals - wants to secede from a federation with the slightly larger island of St. Kitts. St. Kitts-Nevis is already listed

as the world's least populous country, with only 41,800 residents. Nevis alone has just 9,000. Ever since the country became independent from Britain in 1983,

ginalized in the international community, weakens every Caribbean Nevisians have grumbled about country and the entire region." said Prime Minister Lester Bird of alleged domination hy SL

neighboring Antigua Premier Vance Amory Barbuda.



"Don't worry, guys; the ice is plenty thick." Well, it wasn't, and this minivan crashed through, forcing six Canadian ice-fishermen to scramble out the hack door.

Thirdly, the statement's impact have learned nothing from all the is transient. It may say somewars 1 fought against Israel." thing about the new wife - hat her daughter will take her father's name, and thus the whole story will start again.

> IN an over-zealous feminism, many Jewish women about to wed haven't hothered to look. closely at the family names they are rejecting - many of which immortalize the memory of Jewish family heroines.

Take for example, Freud, as in Sigmund. (He, I'm sure, would have had something interesting to say about daughters who cling to their father's names). His family name is a derivative of the woman's name Freida.

And what do Nobel laureate Isaac Bashevis Singer, violinist Itzhak Perlman and British Foreign Secretary Malcolin Rifkind have in common? Their matronymic sumames. Bashevis comes from the name-Bat-Sheva (Bas-Sheva in the Ashkenazi pronunciation). Rifkind comes from Rivka. Perlman means "husband of Pe[a]rl. Similarly, Estherman is the husband of Esther, Dinessman of Dina, Hodessman or Godessman of Hadassah, and Zeldman of Zelda. Baskin carries the suffix "kin" signifying "child of." Other examples are Sorkin from Sarah, Rivkin from Rivka, Chaikin from Chaya and Dvorkin from Dvora.

There is also Rochlin from Rachel, Yantin from Yenta, Feigin from Feiga, and Binmen from Bluma. Havlin comes from Hava, and Tzeitlin from Tzeitl.

A different suffix yields names such as Malkov from Malka, Perlov from Perl; and Chamov. from Charna.

The list of Jewish matronymics is vast, hut far less known than Jewish patronymics.

Women's fight to keep their maiden names thus seems a sporious one. There are many other genuine issues of real inequality to which they would be doing far better to direct their energies.

Some feminists say that 90 percent of men give the other 10 percent a bad name. Perhaps they don't realize that guite a few Jewish men are passing on good Jewish women's names to their wives and children, and to future generations.

The writer, a religious educator, is a member of Kibbutz Alumim. لا بينية أن ال

٥كذامن التعهل



FEATURES

DEAR RUTHIE Purim can't mask

marital

problems

By RUTHE BLUE

child, I have always detested

putting on costumes of any kind.

has always loved dressing up. She's also very talented at creat-

ing original costumes, and sewing them. (Our kids always

Every year, one or the other of

Every year, my wife will not

accept that I want to go to these

Every year, 1 end up giving in so as not to spoil her "fun."

allow her to dictate to me how I

How can I do this without cre-

If refusal on your part to wear

a Purim costume can caose a

"major rift" in your marriage,

theo it's got some heavy cracks

Your description of the annual

feud over the party dress code

indicates that the costume ques-

This year I am not going to

parties without a costume.

ating a major marital rift?

Dear Costume Cringing,

Somewhere in Israel

will be dressed.

Dressed Down

in it already.

might be.

necds.

our gang has a wild Purim

win prizes for theirs.)

party:

My wife, on the other hand,

ear Ruthie. Every year, as

Purim draws

near, my wife and I end up quarreling

over the costume

issue. Since I was a

Mon't have by the en meine Abrahaman Er to be a crame Nitzhaishu the suite A india titical Gright Willespread 200 (the Arab (Cara) 9.44 Persia (Slave county) thur a feat

A silen P

aiden

ames

NY WAJSSE

FORT BLIC . http: ors. All interpret are a new second Schemitters at

WO 1220 'S 1272, The report first RECeived by Sala Network with Male Was toring 1996 250 icgalating the Frame is so lerger the manne on marries thus recognized dinal's the stan Mito recounts Mistry, il stort lit

Sically namer. in ter AC foot-draggers in A 102 50115 111 12 12 mating the reality

at do Isaac newis Singer k Periman an

Sooim Rifkind in in common?

Wir. computerious na All arrests and and Circle of RELICE P Ber Bigenden une tra a statet et ante Em Bolina de la MAN COT 1 12.5 Provide of the rule 👜 🔆 wath we up at 1

in begrating the N. DROC. 1 M 1 . 🗯 Setterer - a trat dat. tione statter stat in he

Rival claims to a disputed hilltop

The uproar over Har Homa could have been avoided if the governmeot hado't expropriated private lands for the project, says David Myr, the only Jew still fighting against the land expropriation.

Out of the 1,850 dunams (460 acres) expropriated by the government for Har Homa, 1,400 belonged to Jews - all of whom, except for Myr, have accepted the terms of the expropriation. Myr owned the largest parcel of land expropriated for the project. For the last six years, Myr, head-ing a public real estate company called Makor, has been fighting the expropriation of his land through the court system all the

way up to the Supreme Court. Makor, with Myr at the belm, purchased 568 dunams of land in 1970; he also acquired the option to huy 383 dunams of land from. Himanuta, a subsidiary of the Jewish National Fund (Myr never exercised this option hut still claims that it is valid, even though the JNF property may be osed hy the government). For the last 25 years, Myr has been planoing the new neighborhood on his parcel of almost 1,000 dunams of land: there are extensive architectural plans, from basic hlueprints to floor models, and even an animated computer design of the entire project.

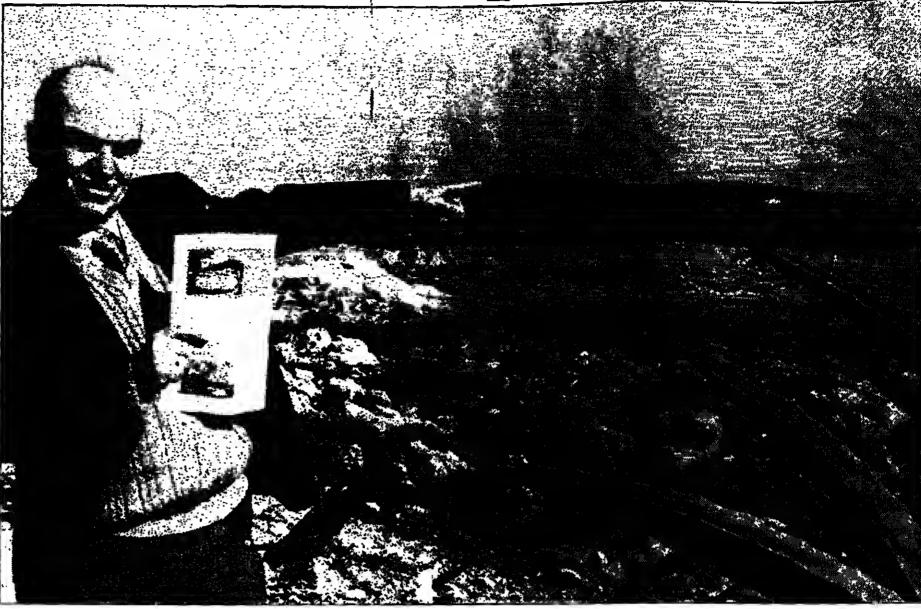
"The Peace Project," as Myr calls it, is an entire town that inclodes 6,500 apartmeots, hotels, parks. schools, an industrial section for high-tech factories, a couotry eluh and a golf course. If it were not for the government intervection, all this would have been huilt hy Myr, hacked hy private investors who also had husiness arrangements with companies such as Africa

tion is symbolic of other issues Israel and Migdal Insurance. the two of you are not resolving. On April 21, 1991, the govern-It would he beoeficial to ment expropriated 1850 dunams examine what these other issues of land - including Myr's piece and 450 dunams of Arah land for its version of a Har Homa For example, your wife may feel that you are nnappreciative neighborhood. Their Har Homa, of one of her more outstanding which will also inclode 6,500 taleots - talents for which housing uoits, has set off an

strangers award her prizes. international debate and threatens to send the peace process into Perhaps forcing you into donning one of her creations is an disarray "Har Homa didn't have to be a political problem," says Myr. "It's a private matter. In Har expression of frustration or feelings of inadequacy. You, then, may be responding

Homa there are Arabs and Jews. to her emotional urgency hy There wouldn't be a problem if "giving in" every year on the costume issue. all the private owners could build Perhaps you would do better to for themselves. They can build respond, instead, by paying geo-uine heed to her deep-scated on their land and I will build on mine.'

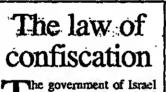
Hanna Atrach, the mayor of For her part, your wife should Beit Sahur, the Arab town boris one of the 65 Arabs whose the oceds of a busband who property was also expropriated Rather than forcing you to by the government for the Har ignore your ill case at Purim, Homa project (Atrach's 110 your wife would do hetter to dunams had been in his family help you resolve whatever it is since 1860). Ohviously Atrach prefers that the land returns to its original which has caused it sioce you Arah and Jewish owners. But, he adds. "If Myr wants, he can develop it, hut we in Beit Sahur should know about his plans." Atrach raises a consideration that Myr ignores: Even if the land is developed by private investors, it would ooly be viable if "the chance to build is on an equal basis. If he could develop his land then we should be able to develop ours."



David Myr points to the plot of land at Har Homa, where he planned to build a 6,500-unit apartment complex and golf course.

tion (in a case separate from Myr's).

However, Palestioians are skeptical about government promises to provide housing for them. "The purported building for the Arahs is misinformation in order to quell the uproar," said Seidman. " In May 1995, duriog previous expropriations, the gov-ernment said it would expedite the granting of huilding permits in eastern Jerusalem. Not one additional building permit was given.'



Two-thirds of the land expropriated at Har Homa belonged to Jews. One of them won't give up the fight for his property. Palestinians aren't quite sure what to make of David Myr and his plans, Amy Klein reports

develop Har Huma. "Building Hnma will destroy Har Bethlehem. It will take the last areas of land," asserts Andoni. He claims that even if most of the Har Homa land is owned by Jews - a fact that he and other Arabs have disputed since the 1930s (see hnx) - they would never want Myr to build his "Peace" Project

"Mr. Myr asked the government to take the land," elaims was the one who initiated expropriation in the first place."

Myr says that the JNF (and not published its intentioo to expro-Makor) had only asked for the priate 1,850 dunams of land for its own Har Homa project, "concentration" of the land for including land belonging to Myr. development purposes, and not

Whose land is it anyway?

wnership of the land known today as Har Homa has been under dispute since 1935, when Sheikh Shihadeh sold 793 dunams of land, of which only 34 actually belonged to him. In fact, Shihadeh had sold the lands of other Arab families without owledge A legal conflict erunte

(Bryan McBurney)

defense of then finance minister Yitzhak Modai's expropriation of the land. "According to the finance minister's opinion, there is very little probability that the owners of the land could develop the land in a reasonable amouot of time, if at all. His assumption was that only the municipalities could carry out the respoosibilines including the implementation, building and financing of the residential neighborhood."

It doesn't seem like anything will get in the way of the government's building Har Homa: After the government expropriated the land, it took only two months to develop building.- plans, as opposed to Myr's two decades. (Myr claims that bis plans will save \$800 million in development of the project.) A governmeot com to convene to reconsider the expropriatioo, but the meeting was cancelled. Even the Supreme Court cases challenging the expropriation and development plans will oot halt buildozers, as no stop orders have been issued. In the meantime, the Supreme Court's first decision of December 1994 still stands.. It upholds the expropriatioo "in light of the fact that all new neighborhoods io Jerusalem since 1967 were set up in a similar fashion, i.e., expropriation of essectial land to create a neighborhood." Everyone - from the profit-oriented Myr to the politically motivated Seidman - agree on one thing: expropriation is the worst option. "If huilding will be done with fiat, and oot with consultation," said Seidman, "you leave people oo alternative but to feel comered."

And Statement State Det : mehic: MOTS WALL S.

STREET, CALLER ST.

in the second

Neg 2

Mase .

The start start

Sector Sector

Contract Services

Mart College

in in the second second

5. N

111

1.12

.

 $\pi_{2}\mathcal{F}$

τ¢?

شيع مر ا

1.1

anter the

THE REALS

Sector a

CERT.

ing the

et of

Den

CEL

1.1

14 -

Since Purim seems to hring so much marital baggage to the sur-face, you could use the upcoming weeks to discuss the issue, rather than fight over it.

detests dressing up.

were a child.

Then, putting your foot down about dressing up will become unoecessary, either because your wife will have come to understand your distress or hecause yon will have come to onderstand hers.

Ideally, it will be a combination of the two.

Letters should be addressed to: 'Dear Ruthie,' POB 81. 91000 Jerusalem. For E-mail: editors@jpost.co.il

"If the Palestinians would be given a fair shake to build on the land, theo perhaps it would be less prohlematic," says Daniel Seidman, the lawyer representing 29 Arah families in the Supreme Court case against the expropria-

Laws (Needs of the Public)," 1943. Owners of confiscated land are compensated according to the market value of their property. Many, however, do not recognize the validity of the expropriation and refuse to accept remuneration. The law states that if the finance minister oeeds property for public use, he can purchase it according to procedures outlined in the law. "Public need" is reflexively defined as "any need that the finance minister approves as a public oced." A.K.

Rasan Aodoni, of the Palestinian Center for Rapprochement, is a spokesman for all the Arab families with elaims on Har Homa. He says that it is irrelevant whether the government or private owners a neighborhood."

The story of how the expropriation came about is unclear. Six months before the government announced its intention to expropriate the land for Har Homa, the JNF, with the knowledge of Makor, wrote a letter to the Israel Lands Authority: "We should emphasize that the only way to move forward fast with the planning, huilding and completion of the neighborhood is hy the consolidation of all the land in one : hand. In order to fulfill this purpose there should be an 'acquisition hy law' so that we can create the neighburhood as soon as possible." The Supreme Court,

which also claims that the JNF and Makor asked for expropriation, replied that "The ILA cannot expropriate lands of one owner in order to give it to another for the purpose of establishing

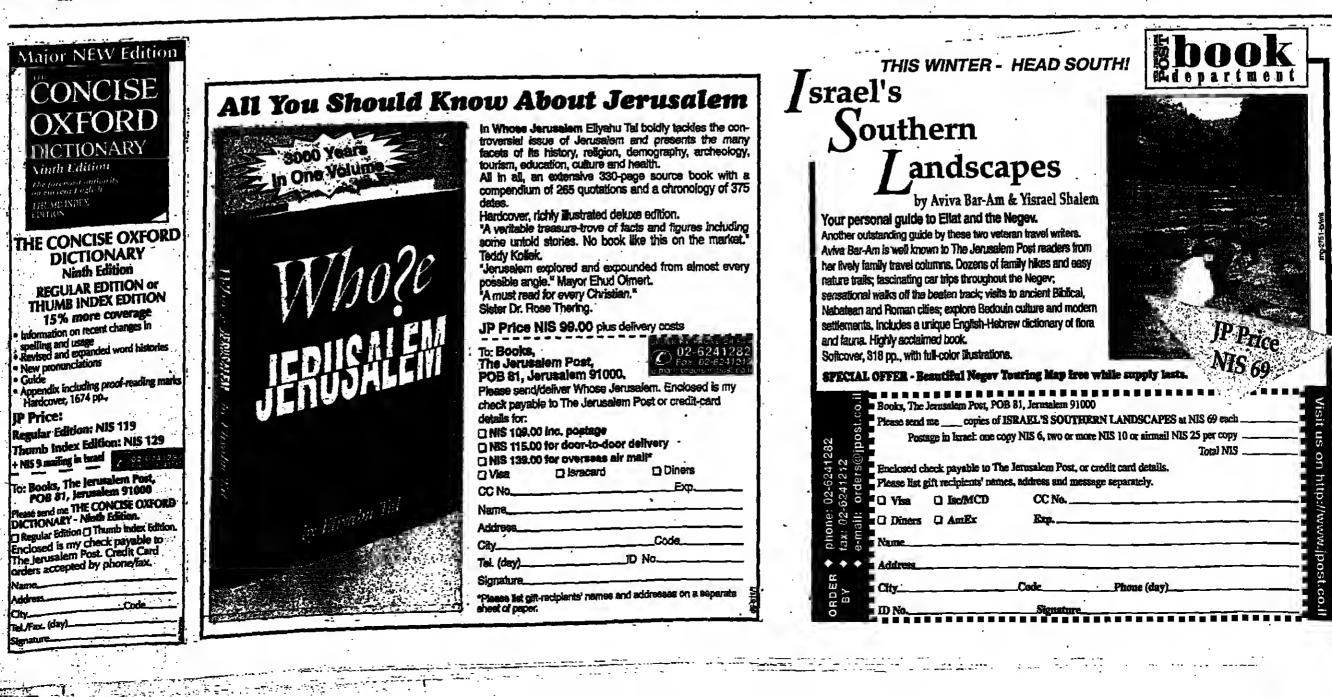
company called Hachsharat Hayishuv (now owned hy the private construction company Ninnrodi) tried to claim the land it had acounted.

With the outbreak of war in 1948, the case was dropped and not re-opened until 1967, when the disputed land was annexed to Jerusalem.

Ahmed Ali Sakhtour's land was sold without his knowledge. He was one of the few owners who had the necessary documentation to bring his case to court. There, Sakhtour disputed Hachsharat Hayishuv's maps and the original sale of the land and made a claim for 126 dunams.

By 1970, Makor and David Myr entered the picture, having purchased some of the lands in dispute. They had started their architectural plans to develop the "Peace Project." The Supreme Court distributed the land to the various claimants; Myr was awarded 563 dunams. In a 1987 appeal, the Supreme Court granted Sakhtour a total of 29 dunams, against his original elaim of 126 dunams. In June 1991, the government expropriated Sakhtour's 29 dunams, along with Myr's 563. Sakhtour then joined his former opponent Myr in his suit against expropriation in order to get hack his land - or what was left of it. A.K.

expropriatioo. Whatever the "We had to expropriate the land case, the government knew a in order to guarantee the estabgood idea when it saw one, and lishment of the neighborhood," six months later the government wrote the Supreme Court in



BUSINESS&FINANCE

Thursday, March 13, 1997

BUSINESS

in brief

Bezeq pays NIS120 million In dividends

Bezeq yesterday paid its stockholders an intermediate dividend totaling NIS 120 million – or 40 percent of its net profit during the first six months of 1996. The payment per share is 16.4 agorot (or 16.4%). Acting Bezeq director-general Avi Hochman said that NIS 91.25m. would be transferred to the state, which owns 77% of Bezeq shares; the British company Cable & Wireless, which owns a tenth of the company, will receive NIS 11.84m. The rest will be divided among scores of other shareholders. Bezeq is required to pay a dividend each year equal to 55% of its annual net profit. The company has not yet published its financial reports for 1996. Judy Siegel

Telecom talks held with Jordan

The Israel-Jordan steering team for a joint telecom project met yesterday in Tel Aviv. Among the participants were heads of the Jordan Telecommunications Company and a Communications Ministry delegation headed by Haim Haviv.

The team discussed proposed projects, including the laying of an optic fiber cable between Tel Aviv and Amman or along the Jordan Rift from Amman to Aqaba and links to the undersea optic fiber cable off Eilat. Judy Siegel

International Finance Institute courts Israel

The Institute of International Finance would like Israel to become a member, managing director Charles Dallara said yesterday in between meetings with the conotry's economic leadership. The IIF, a nonprofit association of financial institutions, conducts research on emerging markets, provides a forum for the private financial community, and lobbies in support of its mem-bers' positions regarding global regulatory issues.

Bahrain, Egypt and Saudi Arabia are among the 14 Middle East countries and 45 natioos worldwide whose banks, trading companies and/or export credit agencies belong to the institute. Jennifer Friedlin

Livnat seeks anti-piracy funds

The Communications Ministry has urgently asked the Treasury for more money to expand inspection teams looking for pirate radio stations, some of which cause dangerous interference with Ben-Gurion Airport's control towers.

Currently, only three ministry employees are responsible for locating illegal broadcasting stations. Communications Minister Limor Livnat, now on a working visit in London, called Transport Minister Yitzhak Levy and asked for an urgent meeting early next week with the police and other ministry representatives to discuss the problem. Judy Siegel

EU agrees to energy tax plan

Je

ъl

fr

SL

a

Li

SC

Μ

gC

ï

ŝ

PRI inci Sini 12.1 FRI 1980 DA'i (29.1 DA'i 2990 DA'i 2000 DA'i 20

DE/ Jen beic Thu Tel nooi and and

For 02-E

THE

ier vale

lurn 625-

T

The European Commission agreed to a controversial draft law yesterday to raise the minimum taxes on motor and heating fuels and extend the taxes to electricity and natural gas. The plan is fiercely opposed by industry, particularly heavy-energy users such as the chemical and automobile sectors. EU finance ministers will bave the fical word - a task far from easy since they are required to reach a unanimous decision.

It is widely seen as an attempt to introduce a failed carbon dioxide tax to reduce gas emissions by the back door. But European Commissioner Mario Monti, in charge of the bloc's border-free market and tax issues, said it was an unprecedented move to reform the Union's tax structure. Reuter

3 coalition MKs threaten to rebel after Generali deal

By DAVID HARRIS

Three coalition MK's are refusing to support various Treasury proposals to the Knesset Finance Committee, because it has approved the sale of Migdal Insurance to Assicnrazioni Generali, the Italian company which refuses to pay out oo life insurance policies of Holocaust victims. MKs Michael Kleiner (Gesher).

Avraham Herschson (Likud) and Nissim Dahan (Shas) said yesterday that until the Treasury cor-rects the situation they will not vote with the government, which means the opposition will effectively hold the majority in the powerful committee.

The three, who received the backing of MK Avoer Shaki (an international lawyer), also said that if Generali does not come up with a serious proposal for compensation to the families of Holocaust victims before the consider the issue and call on

next Knesset discussion of the issue, they will demand a national boycott of Migdal and

Generali. Furthermore, Kleiner is calling on Finance Committee chairman Avraham Ravitz (United Torah Judaism) to call Finance Minister Dan Meridor to appear next week before the committee to explain how Insurance Commissioner Doron Sborer could approve the sale, and to ask the minister to do his utmost to persuade Generali to pay. Kleiner is also to request

that Knesset Speaker Dan Ticbon also attend the meeting. Ravitz last oight told The Jerusalem Post that he will be happy to consider such a proposal from Kleiner, but cannot confirm such a session until he bas considered the issue in more detail, "If there proves to be substantiation for the claims, and I'm under the impression there

Dan Meridor to attend," said Ravitz.

"It cannot be that Sweden and Holland and others will investigate such claims and yet Israel continues to do business with Generali." said Dahan during yesterday's meeting of the Knesset Insurance sub-commit-

"We're not dealing with economic issues, but the very exis-tence of the Jewish people." added Herschson, who chairs the Knesset Restitution of Jewish Property sub-committee. "In Britain they are running long television reports on the issue, in the US Congress a committee is examining the subject and yet here we're doing nothing. "People are giving me policies to forward, what can 1 say to these people - that Israel is throwing them into the garbage?

Sborer again argued he doesn't will be, then of course we will . have the legal wherewithal to object to the sale, which is eco-

nomically sound. The sale of Migdal by Bank Leumi is valued Migdal by Bank Letini is valued at more than \$300 million, one of the largest-ever deals involving the sale of an Israeli company. Declaring no confidence in

Generali's commitments to investigate claims, Kleiner, who chairs the Insurance sub-committee, said in his three terms as an MK he has never witnessed such a negative response to the authority of the Knesset as that currently

displayed by Generali. Generali's legal representative in Israel, Amihud Ben-Poral, defended his company's actions on the basis there is no legal grounds for payments.

However, he said the company will treat any specific requests from MKs with full respect and endeavor to answer written questions. "This cannot be treated in pure-

ly economic terms," responded Shaki, "because these claims are so moral and correct"

The average monthly wage last year rose by 1.2 percent in norminal terms, which means a 9.2% erosion in real terms, according to data published yesterday by the Central Bureau of Statistics.

Wages eroded by 9.2%

in '96

By DAVID HARRIS

The average wage ended the year at NIS 5,250. Some 2.163 million people were in jobs at the end of last year, a 4.6% increase from 1995. When employees in Judea, Samaria and Gaza are included, the

average wage fell to NIS 5,198, with a further 37,000 employed. In terms of the total wages paid to workers, excluding the territories, there was a real-term decline of 6.6% in the last quarter of 1996, compared to the same period a year earlier. At the same time, the number

of people employed rose 4%. In the various industry sectors, wages shrank in real terms as follows: agriculture, education, banking, insurance and finance 7.8% -7.9%; business services 6.6%; and public administration 6.2%. Unemployment figures will be

published today by the Employment Service department of the Labor and Social Affairs Ministry.

In recent months there has been a considerable increase in unemployment. Unemployment rose 0.4% in the fourth quarter to 7.3%, its highest level in the last two years according to bureau statistics. There has been an average quarterly unemployment increase of 2.5% since April, compared to reductions of 3.3% in the equivalent 1995 period.

Microsoft signs deal with firm in Petah Tikva

By DAVID HARRIS

Microsoft Corporation has signed a cooperation agreement with Petah-Tikva-based software developer BackWeb Technologies to expand broadcast channel and delivery options for the American company's Internet Explorer 4.0 version, scheduled for release this summer.

hasin his

A NARA WALL

ويتارعوا الملي محاولة بالمردود فترا

A. S. Sandary

Out of 19 companies around the world offering such Internet prod-DCIS, MICTOSOII CE company in the field. BackWeb, established in 1995 by BRM and managed by Eli Bareket, allows Internet users to subscribe free to "channels" of information that appear on the screen while they're working and are clicked if the user wants to access them. Instead of having to seek out sites in the vast Internet, ones they have selected automatically appear periodically as icons on the screen when new information is available. The agreement lays the groundwork for the joint creation of a BackWeb-based Microsoft Internet Explorer channel. "BackWeb's client and server technology, integrated with Microsoft Internet Explorer 4.0, is a perfect example of how firms can. build on the open, standards-based technologies in Internet Explorer." said Brad Chase, Microsoft's vice president for marketing, Internet client and collaboration, in a statement from Los Angeles. "The power and control that BackWeb's easy-touse server application gives channels for personalized broadcasting to Microsoft Internet Explorer 4.0 clients will be a high-value complement to the browser's open broadcast capabilities."



Miners protest in Germany

Thousands of angry miners protest in Bonn yesterday against government plans of Economic Minister Guenter Rexrodt to reduce subsidies for hard coal mining. The signs read 'Our coal does not need an interim depot' (left) and 'Rexrodt is the death of the coal." (Reuter)

MINISTRY OF THE ENVIRONMENT Public Tender No. 3/97 **Provision of Outsourcing Computer Services**

Bids are Invited for the provision of outsourcing computer services. This notice is also being published in the Hebrew press, and the text of the Hebrew notice is to be regarded as definitive.

A. Information Required:

- 1. Bidders must be organizations, registered in Israel, as required by law.
- 2. Bidders must be have had an annual turnover in the 1996 tax year of at least NIS25 million, from ectivities in outsourcing, managing computer installations, development and maintenance of software and Help Desk (excluding eale of hardware, and software licensing) as shown in the audited balance sheet. 3. Bidders must have at least 40 salaried, full-time employees, working in the fields noted in Para. 2 above.
- Bidders must have at least two years' experience in outsourcing, and in fields similar to those referred to in the tender documents, obtained in working with at least two customers, the scope of the annual volume of work involved being at least NIS 1 million for each customer.
- 5. In the context of Paras. 2, 3 & 4, the term, "bidder," includes a subsidiary company, with the requirements of these paragraphs applying to the parent company, there being close professional connections between the companies.
- 6. The manager responsible for the provision of the services concerned must have at least 10 years' experience with computers and information systems, and at least 3 years' experience in managing systems and staff; he should have at least a first degree in a relevant field, and additional relevant training.
- Bidders will submit all the permits specified in the Public Business Companies Law (enforcement of the requirement to keep account books and to pay tax demands) 1976, and e certificate showing that the bidder is a registered trader, as defined in the Added Value Tax Law.
- Bids should be accompanied by an unconditional bank guarantee for NIS80,000, made out in favor of the Ministry of the Environment, and valid until 30,10,97.
- An agreement will be signed with the successful bidder, similar to the sample agreement attached to the tender documents. 10. The agreement with the successful bidder will be for a period of
- five years, with an option for extension of two years.

B. The Ministry's Conditions

- Bids which are not in accordance with the tender conditions, or which do not have all the required documents attached will not be

- considered.
 2. No undertaking is given to accept any bid.
 3. No undertaking is given to accept the lowest bid.
 4. The right is reserved to cancel the tender, if the best bid does not meet the Ministry's requirements.
 5. The right is reserved to negotiate with those bidders competing for the tender, where with a bidders competing for the tender.
- 6. The euccessful bidder will be chosen, by reference to the following: the quality of the proposal, and its appropriateness for the purposes of the Ministry; the experience of the bidder, the financial standing of the bidder; an opinion of the bidder and the general Impression obtained.
- The Ministry may choose two or more successful bidders. C. General
- 1. The tender documents and the specification may be obtained from the Ministry of the Environment, Banam Dept., 5 Rehov Kanfel Nesharim, Givat Shaul, Jerusalem, between 6:30 a.m. and 3:00 p.m., against payment of NIS2,000 (nonreturnable under any circumstances), which should be paid into the Account of the Ministry of the Environment at the Postal Bank, acc. no, 0-
- 248488, earmarked for Tender No. 3/97. 2. A meeting of bidders will be held on Thursday, March 27, 1997, at 9:30 a.m., at the Shalom Hotel, 25 Rehov Shahrai, Bayit Vagan, Jerusalem. Participation in this meeting is a condition of
- tendering. 3. Bids should be submitted in five copies in Hebrew, in accordance with the Mattah Procedure, by 12 noon on 30.4.97, in a closed envelope marked "Tender No. 3/97," and placed in the tenders box in the Banam Dept., 5 Rehov Kanfel Nesharim (4th floor) Givat Shaul, Jerusalem. Bids may be submitted, only by those who have purchased the
- specification and the tender documents. d13172/p

. <u>-</u>

COMPANY RESULTS

Tadiran's '96 profits more than treble

By GALIT LIPKIS BECK and JENNIFER FRIEDLIN

Tadiran, Israel's largest electronics company and a subsidiary of Koor Industries, reported a 236 percent increase in carnings to NIS 296 million last year from 1995, the company reported yesterday. Net income for the year included a gain of \$33.7m. from the initial puboffering of Tadiran Telecommunications. The subsidiary raised \$69m. from the offer-

However, fourth quarter net profits dropped 12.7% to \$9.6n1 from \$11m. in the same 1995 period.

The company blamed the decrease on the registration of onetime tax revenues last year. Income after income taxes increased to \$13.3m. in the fourth quarter from \$12m in the same period in 1995. Sales increased 6.5% to \$1.11b.

from \$1.05b. Revenues for the fourth quarter fell to \$268.5m. from \$283.1m. Exports represented more than 50% of fourth quarter sales.

Lower domestic sales and the economic slowdown led to a drop in sales from the telecommunications segment, the appliances and batteries segment and the electronic systems segment, the company said. The decrease in sales was partly offset by a rise in computer software segment sales.

Fourth quarter operating income fell to \$13.3m. from \$17.7m. Tadiran completed its reorganization last year, according to president

and CEO Israel Zamir. The company currently operates in five business segments telecommunications, communications, electronic systems, appliances and batteries and computer software.

"Tadiran is now managed as a specialized strategic group. All activities have been absorbed by separate companies, each operating on profit and loss basis," he said.

Last year Tadiran Com. was formed to control the key defense activities of the communications group. Other decentralizations measures included the formation of Tadiran Electronic Systems, Tadiran Spetralink, Tadiran Telematics and Tadiran Batteries, said Zamir.

Elron Electronic Industries reported a 10% increase in annual net income to \$11.3m. last year from \$10.3m. in 1995. Aggregate annual revenues of the companies in the Elron group exceeded \$1.2 billion, similar to 1995.

In the fourth quarter, net income went up to \$3.8m. from \$3.1m. in the same period in 1995.

The company said its earning

resulted from three main sources: Elron's share in the net income of affiliated companies, gain on equity from a change in holdings and income from the sale of investments

and holdings. Elron CEO Uzia Galil said the company's plans for 1997 include honing in on the information technology market

The company also said it hopes to reap the fruits of Elbit's demerger this year. Elron owns 40% of each of the three companies, which were formed as a result of Elbit Ltd.'s 1996 demerger.

Based in Haifa, Elron is a multinational high-tech holding company that, through its affiliates, is engaged with a group of companies operating in the fields of medical diagnostic imaging, advanced defense electronics, communication, semiconductors, networking services and Internet software.

Discount Invest.	buys :	stake in	Nitzanim
-------------------------	--------	----------	----------

drop in government budgets.

טרגט TARGET (מטרה)

Mutual Fund for

Purchase Price:

Redemption Price:

leumi pia xro ronti

Foreign Residents

Date: -

By GALIT LIPKIS BECK

Discount Investments and its affiliate PEC, members of the IDB Group, have acquired Hevrat Ha'ovdim's shares in Nitzanim - the entrepreneurial center of the Nuclear Research center at Nahal Sorek.

The investment companies pur-chased 50 percent of Nitzanim for \$8.5 million. The remaining shares are owned by Isorad, the economic

lovest in the world's major exchanges with Israel Discount Bank



ideas developed at the center have arm of the research center, which is owned by the government. led to the establishment of 15 companies, including five that have Isorad is mainly engaged in adaptation of military know-how and raised capital from various institutechniques to civilian operations. tions in Israel, France and the US to Many of the country's hi-tech comfinance development and manufacpanies established over the past turing phases.

decade are based on know-how The investment is part of Discount Investment's business strategy to from the military and military indusexpand its involvement in technolotries, which have suffered from a gy incubators as a method of Nitzanim operates a technology expanding acivities of its high-tech incubator in the framework of the subsidiaries. The know-how accu-Office of the Chief Scientist at the mulated by the incubators can be Industry and Trade Ministry. Since adopted for civilian use, the compaits establishment four years ago, ny said.

PRIME פריים

Mutual Fund for

Date:

Purchase Price:

Redemption Price:

leumi pia x 2 1981

Foreign Residents

11.3.97

114,89

113.40

.

PRIME

ويعتقد ومناهده بمنشف فلنشر ومعقف			
Patah (foreign Currency (deposit for:) U.S. dolar (\$250,000) Pound starling (£100,000) German mark (DM 200,000) Swiss franc (\$F 200,000) Yen (10 million yen)	3 MONTHS 4.750 3.875	POSIT rates) 6 MONTHS 5.000 - 4.000 1.625 0.750	

SPAFL MONEY MARKETS

lates very higher or lower than indicated according to deposit

Shekel F	oreign E	change	Rates* (12.3.97)	
·	CHECK	S AND			
	TRANS	FERS	BANK	NOTES	flep.
	Buy	Sell	Buy	Sell	Rates
Currency basket	3.6162	a.6746			3.6504
U.S. dollar	3.3420	3.3960	3.28	3.45	3,3730
German mark	1.9569	1.9885	1.92		1.9757
Pound sterling	5.3135	5.3993	5.22	2.02	5,367
French franc	0.5800	0.5894		5.48	
Japanese yen (100)	2.7215	2.7654	0.57	0.60	0.585
Dutch florin	1.7384	1.7865	2.67	2.81	2747
Swiss franc	2.2666	2.3032	1.70	1.80	1.755
Swedish krona	0.4351	0.4422	2.22	2.34	2.287
Norwegian krone	0.4897	0.4978	0.42	0.45	0,4396
Danish krone	0.5131		0.48	0.51	0.4948
Finnish mark	0.6548	0.5214	0.50	0.53	0.5178
Canadian dollar	2.4465	0.6654	0.64	0.68	0.6606
Australian dollar		2.4860	2,40	2.53	2,4679
8. African rand	2.6554	2.6983	2.60	2.74	2.6624
Belgian franc (10)	0.7522	0.7644	0.68	0.77	0.7606
Austrian schliging (10)	0.9484	0.9637	0.93	0.98	0.0576
Helien im (1000)	2.7803	2.8252	2.73	2.67	2,8067
Italian üra (1000)	1.9659	1.8977	1.93	2.03	1,9841
Jordenten dinar	4.6500	4.9700	4.65	4.87	5 4,7728
Egyptian pound	0.9500	1.0300	0.95	1.03	. 10119
ECU	3.8017	a.8631			3,5402
Irish punt	5.1769	5.2604	5.08	5.34	52312
Spanish peeeta (100)	2.3070	2.3443			2.3293
			2.26	2.38	- 2.000
*These rates v	лагу ассон	ting to bar	1k. ***	Bank of is	-
	SOURCE	BANK I			
	oconoi	- ENVIRANT	LUM		A

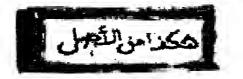
ا حكذا من التصل

11.3.97

163.37

161.02

.



salem Pog

bels

toks) but that d tased and

ion with them?

send an triter

Horated

Forming 1 -C

mers

onents

MINSALE STATE

aren a

atographe this

Martin to a mark a

🗧 🕰 🔬 👘 👘

States and the second

the city of the

s the

be to a

£**2**,

5.1

46.5

.

. . . .

BUSINESS&FINANCE



n den.	Amstrong World70.625 Aserco32.6	-0.75 Gan Bothic104.75 -0.375 +0.125 Gon Mills63 -1.75	Ohio Cascally	US Surgical	Last Change	Diuc cin
Critica - Critic	Ashland Coal24.375 Ashland Oil40.625	+0.125 Gen Miles63 -1.75 -0.25 Gen Molocs57.75 +0.25 -0.5 Gen Molocs H57.875 +0.125	Cia Cran (7 -0.125	US West	Cocces (Mary) (LCE)1006 4 Cotion (Mary) (LCE)1735 -30 Brant crude of (Mary)(PE)	
222	AST Research 4.5875	+0 Gen Public UI34.75 +0 -0.75 Gen Reliesunce174.375 +0.125	Oneok isc 27.525 -0.25 Ozada Satisma 54.125 -1.825		Brant crude of (May)(PE)	take b
ega), buri itu teri	Auto Dela Pro	+0.125 Gen Signal	Outplotsh Bratish17 +0	VF Corp	SPOT MARKET METALS (US)	
1 " LV9 """	Avery Dennison42.25 Avreit tor60.375	-0.025 Genuine Parts	Outcoard Marine13.825 -0.25 Overses Shp17.378 -0.125 Overs Coming40,125 -0.375	Viecam Inc	Last Change	
ta	Avgn Products59.75	-U.375 Georgin Pac78.375 +1 -2.375 Gatetin81.975 -1.375 Gatetin50.125 -0.875		Visitary	Gold: spot	NEW YORK (Reuter) - Blue-
nt.	Baimco Corp7.375 Baker Hughes 37.875	-0.125 Galden W Finl70.875 -0.75	Ptil Group45,25 +0,125 PNC Phendel44 -0,825	Wachtovia 82.75 -1.125	and the second sec	chip stocks fell sharply yesterday as the market paused after setting
6. No.	Bas Corp	-0.525 . Goodveer Tre	PNC Riverdal 44 -0.025 PPC Industries 56.5 -0.5 Pecter inc 72.75 -2.5	War Mart Stores 28,625 +0.675	NEW YORK METAL FUTURES	record highs the previous two ses-
3	Selimore Gas26.75 Banc One Corp46.375	-D.875 Griege (W&P)	Partificant 20,525 +0		Gold (Apr) 253.2 -1.9	sions.
101	Bandag51.125 BenkAmerica118.5 Bank of Bostog77.125	-U.013 Get Central Minu	Pac Enterprises	West Norm Tro. 22.5 +0.25 West Norm Tro. 351.75 -0.25 West Norm Tro. 35.025 West Norm Tro. 55.025	Geld (Apr)	Based on early and unofficial
N (2.	Bank of Boston77,125 Bank of New Yk40,825 Bank of New Yk40,825	- 1.375 Grt Western Fini47.25 -1.375	Pell Corp	Weldon-Johnson	Palladium (Junt)	data, the Dow Jones industrial average closed down 45.79 points
frei Tai	Barmelt Banks49.125	-0.875 -2125 -2125 -2125 -2125 -2125 -2125 -2125 -223,025 -223,025 -223,025 -225 -225 -225 -225 -225 -225 -225 -	Perter Drilling8575 -0.375 Perter Hennik45.5 -0.375 Perter Hennik45.5 -0.375 Perter January (C)51 +0.25	Webs Fargo513.875 -5.125	High-grade copper (Mary)1.0885 -0.018	at 7,039.37, after falling more than
	Basic Mount Go 37.875	-0.875 Haron (MA) 20.625 -0.825 -0.25 Haron (MA) 27.75 -0.125 +0.125 Haron 37.125 -0.575	Research Breat 1 24 75 A	Westinghouts 819 -0.25	LONDON METAL FIXES	at 1,00701, and mong more and
7.	Bay Network19	-1 Harriactileger48.75 +0	Person 52.75 -1.75	Westman 29.825 +0.5 Westman	Last Change	
	Becton Dicloson47.75 Bell Atlantic65.25	-1.875 Hents Corp	Papelos	Whitems Co	Last Change Gold AM is	WHERE
F	Bolt Industrien	+0.125 History5875 +0.125 -1.125 History425 -0.125	Pitzer94.75 -0.875	Wirr: Dide Stat. 32,875 +0.25	Siver to	
Den 11	HA Balo Com	-0.25 Hocke Mining6.25 -0.375 -1.75 Hoke 2 Hu6.255 -0.875	Piter 94.75 -0.875 Pharmacia & Ucl 94.75 -0.875 Pharmacia & Ucl 94.75 -0.875 Pharmacia & Ucl 94.77 - 50.25 -0.125 Pharmacia & 0.125 Pharma	World Cournanications24.5 -0.875 World Cournanications24.5 -0.875 World Cournanications20.375 -0.5	Month in permittence signals contract exp. date (Spot martet listings are from aproximately 25:50 lazari time. All others are closing quotes.)	Notices in this feature are charged
4 100	Betriehem Steel8.75	9 195 0 4375	Praietel Bec21.5 - 4.125 Praie Monte138 - 1.625	World Countentications24,5 -0.575 Westikington Ind20,375 -0.5 Wighty80,125 -0.375	SOURCE SAP CONSTOCK (DATE 12-MAR-97)	at NIS 28.08 per line, including VAT. Insertion every day of the month
	Bornet	40 Hinst & Payse 46,25 +0 -0.25 Herculos46,75 +0.25 +2.375 Harculos48,5 +0.375	Philips Dec40,125 -1.125 Philips Pot40,875 -0.576	Xeros 82,625 +1		costs NIS 520.65 per line, including
	-107 125	+2.375 Harshey Foods40,5 +0.375 -1 Hewden Packard54,625 -0.75 -0.95 Hewden Packard54,625 -0.125	Planer Hi Bred	Yullow Freight	DATA COMMUNICATIONS VIA	VAT, per month.
	Boling	Holts Heats Technol		Zenith Bectron19 +0	ABA COMPUTER SYSTEMS LIMITED	JERUSALEM Conducted Tours
	Briggs & Sirtin45.625 Brist Myca Sop65.625	+0.125 Holinger	Printer FI Per 54 375 +0	Zaro Co		HEBREW UNIVERSITY. Tours of the
	Brit Almis ADR	-2.375 Homevalue16,25 +0 -0.625 Honevalue74,5 +0.25 -0.525 Honevalue74,5 +0.5	Proclar & Ganzbie	LONDON	Foreign financial data courtesy of	Mount Scopus campus, in English, daily Sun,-Thur., 11 a.m. from
	Children	-0.625 Honeywell4.5 -0.22 -0.625 Homel (Goo)56.75 -0.5 -0.25 Homel (Goo)96.75 -1.25 Homeloid Int96.75 -0.5		Alied Domecz445 -1.5	CommStock Trading Ltd.	Bronfman Reception Center, Sherman
The second second	Browning Farts 93.575	-0.125 Houston Inds	Custor Osts51,825 -1	Alied Dorrect445 -1.5 BAT Inds564.5 +0 BT634.5 -2	Futures, Options,	Administration Blog. Buses 4a, 9, 23, 26, 28, For info, call 5882819.
		-0.525 ISM144.575 -1.125 24.5 -0.25	Conenex Corp26.525 +0	BTR277 -8.5 Backys1117 -8.5	Stocks, Bonds and Mutual Funds	HADASSAH. Visit the Hadassah instal- lations, Chagali Windows. Tel. 02-
	Burlington Killon 83-3/5	-0.625 iBM	RJR Nableco \$5,125 +0.125 Reliefon Purine \$5,5 -0.875	Bass 853.5 -3		6416333, 02-6776271.
	CBS Inc 25.5 CMS Energy Corp 52 E4.875	40 INCO	Pant Oronan ADR	Boots 675 - 6.5 Betish Anweys 654.5 - 9 British Gam	34 Ben Yehuda St., Jerusalem	TEL AVIV
	CPC meen51.75		Parchan Corp 87 -1 Parcheon 47 575 -1.125 Peebok ini 49,875 +0	General Beckle	Tel: 02-82-1-4958, 03-575-5825/27 Fax: 02-825-9515	IEL AVIV
		-0.25 intel Corp	Reynolds Rayn A 27.75 +0	Gipto		· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
Y a faint	Cabot Carp 24,875 Camptel Soup 91,875 Camptel Cis ABC 90,875 Carolina Perr LI 96,75 Carolina Perr LI 96,75	+0.125 interpret/h	Per Ald Corp45,825 -0.125	HSBC (75p shs) 1597 -20.5	Tel Aviv shares data	GENERAL A
g	Carpenier Tech	-0.25 Ini Metiloods43.125 +0.525	Rockwey Sirvices22,875 -0.25 Rockwell Int57,25 -0.125 Rohm & Hous93,625 -0.25	ICI748.5 -10 Land Securities785.5 -7	supplied by Pacific	GENERAL
		-0.125 interpublic53.25 +0.5 +0.125 ITT Corp\$90.825 +1	Rohr industries 17.75 -0.375 Rouse 30 +0.125	Linvits Bank518.5 -2	Mediterranean Investments,	
	Qanlerlor Energy10.25 Cantest Corp	+0.125 -	Royan21.75 -0.825 Royal Outch178.5 -0.875	Natives & Spencer	Tel. 09-958-5873. All other	EMERGENCY PHARMACIES
	Cariforn	+0.375 Jelienten Pit 60.675 -0.125		Reuters645 +0	data supplied by	Jerusalem: Amona, 9 Leib Yaffe, 673-
	Chang Shoppes103.875	-2.375	Russel Corp36 +0.375	Shell Transport1082 +0.5	Commstock Trading Ltd.,	1901; Balsam, Salah e-Din, 627-2315;
	Chevron COID 13,625	0.375 Koley Akup 12,75 -0.375	Pyreer Co	Unitever1600 +11	Tel. 02-624-4963. Due to	Shuafat, Shuafat Road, 581-0108; Dar Aldawa, Herod's Gate, 628-2058.
	54 875	-0.125 Kallogg67.75 -0.75 -0.375 Kallogg61.25 +0.25 -1.875 Kantastenta41.375 -0.375	SPS Technology64.875 - +0	PARIS	technical fallures data may	Tel Aviv: Pharma Daf Jabotinsky, 125
	Chubb Corp	-1.875 Kernecetal	Salety-Reen	Anno	be inaccurate. The	ibn Gvirol, 546-2040; Superpharm, 40 Einstein, 641-3730. Till 3 a.m. Friday:
	Clavid Citis (2.5	-0.125 KeyCorp 109.25 -0.75	7 825 1125	Air Liquide 927 -8 Alcated Alsthem 820 -20 PSN 908 -2	Jerusalem Post will not be	Planni Del Elocarsky 125 km Gvini 548-2040. Till midnight: Superpharm
	11111	-0.125 KeyCorp	Sen Diego Ges 22,125 +0.25	Air Upide 927 -8 Airated Alshem 820 -20 85N 905 -2 Canal 1144 -10	held responsible for the	546-2040, Tal midnight: Superpharm Ramat Aviv, 40 Einstein, 641-3730;
	Coastal Corp61 Coca Cola62 Coca Cola Ent110	NUG	Schering Plough 80 -0.375 Schering Plough 104,875 -2.625 Schering Alexte 18 +0.25	Canegour 1465 +20 Carregour 1465 +20 Club Med 430 -3	consequences of any	London Ministore Superpharm, 4 Shaul
	Cosa Cole Ent	-0.75 King Wold Prod	San Dego Gea 22,125 +0.25 San Lee Corp 38,825 -0.25 Schening Plough 80 -0.375 Schening Plough 104,873 -2.625 Schenil Alanta 18 +0.25 Scientil Alanta 18 +0.25	Carregour 3465 +20 Citeb Med 430 -3 Citeb Lyon (C0 197 +2	transaction made on the	Hamelech, 696-0115. Ra'anana-Kiar Sava: Hadarim,
and the second second	Colgete Painoly	+0.125 Lagget & Plat	Seconda Tech47.575 +1.25	Canal 144 +18 Carregour 3465 +20 Cato Med 430 -3 Cred Lyon (Cl) 187 +2 Bit Autistive 556 -20 Euro Dianey 1925 -025 LVMH 1330 -21	basis of these data.	Vosettel Klar Sava, 765-2520.
1 Martin Martine	Compare 39.875 Compute Aga Int 39.875 Computer Sci 57.125 Computer Sci 54.75 Consign 90.25	-1 Liny (50,		LVMH1380 -21	Readers who wish to report	Netanya: Hanassi, 36 Weizmann, 882-
	Compute Ast All	The same The same time and the same same same same same same same sam	Concernate Link 10/5 40/2	Cred Lyon (23 187 42 Br Apiliahe	missing or misquoted data	3639. Haita: Ballour, 1 Massada, 862-2269.
1.17	Cons Edison 24,125 Cons Freighbrys 53,125 Cons Nat Ges 112,875		Service Corp 1	1172 63	should do so on postcards	Kravot area: Kupat Holim Clalit
	Cons Nat Ges 112.875 . Cons Pail 46.825	+0.125 Lir Claibons 16.5 -0.5 +0.5 Lockbeed Corp 110.975 -1.975	Shered Medical55,8375 -0.3125 Shell Trace103,375 -0.5	Paned Scard315 -6.1	only, addressed to	Zevukun, 192 Derech Akko, Kiryat Bialik, 878-7818
pd	Cooper India		Shell Trace 103.375 -0.5 Shell Trace 103.375 -0.5 Shell Trace -0.6 825 +0.125 Shoney's Inc -7.125 -0.825 Stoney's Inc -7.125 +0.375	Pergect	Jerusalem Post Business	Bialik, 878-7818. Herzikya: Cial Pharm, Belt Merkazim, 6
	Correling tac	+0.1875 Lowes Cop		Total 8480.3 -5.8	Desk, P.O.B. 81, Jerusalem	Maskit (cnr. Sderot Hagalim), Herzliya Pituah, 955-8472, 955-8407. Open 9
1. 1.	Crane 20.125 Crompton Knowles 20.125 Crown Cork See 53.625	-0.125 Longs Drag Ses15.5 +0 -1.5 Long Comp17.5 -0.875		FRANKFURT	91000	a.m. to midnight.
reu	Crown Cork See 53.625	-1.5 Long Cop 75 -0.875 -0.125 Louisians Land 75 -0.875 -0.125 Louisians Pact 21.125 +0 Louisians Pact 37 -0.125	Smith Init 44.75 -0.525 Smithins Bohm A 74.75 -1			Upper Nazareth: Cial Pharm, Lev Ha'ir
	Control Engine	-0.125 Louisians Pact21.725 +0 +0 Louisians Pact37 -0.125 -0.5 Louisians Pact385 -0.5 -0.5 Looper Tech\$4.125 -0.875	Snep-On-Tools	Aligner AG1280 +10 BASF54.15 -2.53	No. of Concession, name	Mait, 657-0468. Open 9 a.m. to 10 p.m.
	Corgress Marieran		SmpUn-Rods40.75 -0.5 Somat51.25 -0.5 Somoco Prods5825 -0.25 Somo Corp ADR7225 -0.5	Alianz AG 1230 +10 BASE 54.15 2.53 Bayer 72.65 -2.4 Commerciant 56 -6		
	Office Indust	0.375 Martine	Sourcown 5525 -0./5	Alizerz AG 1200 +10 BAST 54.15 -2.63 Bayer 72.45 -2.4 Commerzbernic .86 -6 Deidstrißerz .917.4 -1.1 Deidstrißer Berz .94.55 -0.45 Drescher Bit .94.55 +0.8 Hoechster Bit .70.45 -6.1 Lutherse .74.5 -6.1 Lutherse .76.5 -6.1 Mannessnert .76.15 -9.5 Mannessnert .64.7 .002	P A C	DUTY HOSPITALS
	DOE	0.375 Marter 8.875 40.375 +0.125 MCI Commun 36.25 -0.25 -0.375 Mellinekroot -25.5 +0.25 +0.75 Mentor Care -21.55 +0.125 +0.75 Mentor Care -31.875 +0.25 +0.25 Marcor Care -51.75 -0.125 +0.5 Mentor Care -51.75 -0.125 +0.5 Mentor Care -68.75 -0.125	Stathen Co	Deutsche Bank94.30 -0.46 Descher Bk57.95 +0.8		Jerusalem: Bikur Holim (Internal, pedi- atrics); Hadassah Ein Kerem (surgery,
u <u>r</u>	Dena Corp 19.75 Della General43.375 Deylon Hudson45.5 De Genst44.376	+0.75 Mentor Care	Southwatn Bel58 -1.75	Hoechsl70.45 -8.1		orthopedics, ophthalmology, ENT); Shaare Zedek (obstetrics).
1. S.	De Boers44.375	+0.75 Mantor Care	Statistics 27 40 Statistics 24 40.125 Statistics 24 40.125 Statistics 25 -1.75 Statistics 40.5 -1.75 Statistics 40.5 -1.75 Spring lads 47.25 +0.125 Spring lads 47.25 +0.75 Spring lads 23.125 +0 Standard Prods 23.125 +0	Manesmant 861.5 -9.5		Shaare Zedek (obstetrics). Tet Aviv: Tel Aviv Medical Center Dana
	Detr. Per & L		Standard Prods 23,125 +0	Porscie 2045 +0	MED	Pediatric Hospital (pediatrics); Tel Aviv
	Dell Computers 65 Della Air Lass 32 525	40.25 Marco Corp	Sandali Hoto	Siemens		Medical Center (surgery).
8 T.	Detroit Edison	0.125	Seatus Comp	SOURCE SAP CONSTOCK (DATE 12-MAR-07)		Netanya: Laniado.
	Diel Corp Del 42.875	+0 McDennoz41.375 +0	Son America		INVESTMENTS	POLICE 100
	Dighai Equip	+0 McDonindi -44.375 +0 -2 McDoniedi	Sun Company	'in local currencies		
	Clanary (Walt)					

take beating

YORK (Reuter) - Blue- 50 points earlier. The index ended Tuesday at 7,085.16, beating Monday's record finish of 7,079.39.

Π.

-

3

г

1

1

f

a

1.

f

d

Ι.

47

14

. . .

1.5

. .

ь.

5

ł

Ş.

¥.

£

-

•

In the broader market, advancing issues led declines by 15 to nine on active volume of 486 million shares on the New York Stock Exchange.

TEL AVIV MUSEUM Andres Serrano:

TEL AVIV MUSEUM, Andres Serrano: The Morgue. Soviet Photography from the Museum collection. Lucian Freud: selection of works. Tzvi Hecker. Sunflower. Portraits: By a group of Israeli artists. Virtual Reality: The domestic and realistic in contemporary israeli art. HELENA RUBINSTEIN PAVILION FOR CONTEMPORARY AST. Shore ReanDavid and Amon

ART, Shlomo Ben-David and Amon Ben-David, The Inverted Campaign. Hours: Weekdays 10 a.m.-6 p.m. Tue. 10 a.m.-10 p.m. Fri. 10 a.m.-2 p.m. Meyeshoff Art Education Center, Tel. 8919155-8.

102

101

WHERE TO GO

HAIFA WHAT'S ON IN HAIFA, dial 04-8374253.

GENERAL ASSISTANCE

FIRE

FIRST AID

.. .-

FIRST AID 101 Magen David Adom In emergencies dial 101 (Hebrew) or 911 (English) in most parts of the country. In addition: In emergencies dial 101 (Hebrew) or 911 (English) in most parts of the country. In addition: Ashdor 855133 Kiar Sava 9902222 Asheatan 855.33 Kiar Sava 9902444 Tistan 9905444 Tistan 9905444 Tistan 9905444 Tistan 920444 Matan 8905444 Tistan 920444 the gros, amund the clock. Medical help for tourists (in English) 177-022-9110

The National Poison Control Center at

Rambam Hospital 04-852-9205, 24 hours a day, for information in case of

boisoning. Eran – Emotional First Aid – 1201, also Jerusalem 561-0303, Tel Aviv. 546-1111 (children/youth 696-1113), Haita 867-2222, Beersheba 649-4333, Netanya 862-5110, Karmiel 988-8770, Kfar Sava 767-4555, Hadera 634-6789.

6789. Wizo hottines for battered women (2-651-4111, 03-546-1133 (also in Russian), 07-637-6310, 08-855-0506 (also in Amharic). Rape Crisis Center (24 hours); Tel Aviv 523-4819, 544-9191 (men), Jerusalem 625-5558, Haifa 853-0533, Eflat 633-1977. Hadassah Medical Organization – Israel Cancer Association support ser-vice 02-624-7676).

vice 02-624-7676).

SPORTS

Thursday, March 13, 1997 The Jerusalem Post

Sweden tops host Israel, 1-0

BY DEREK FATTAL

10

Sweden ended deserved 1-0 winners in last night's friendly international against Israel at the National Stadium, Ramat Gan. The Swedes' victory was provided hy a 69thminute goal from Gothenberg's Andreas Andersson who emharrassed three Israeli defenders in the penalty area before driving the ball into the gap between Rafi Cohen and the near post.

The result was Israel's second defeat in three preparatory matches aimed at tuning up the national squad for the crucial World Cup qualifier away to Luxembourg at the end of the month. With five core players last night missing it is difficult to estimate Israel's chances of getting the victory it so desperately needs from its next outing. The schizophrenic character that

so often personifies the national squad came back to haunt last night. In the first half, the Israelis exhibited pleasing measured soc-cer, as midfield deputies Yossi Ahuksis and Ran Ben-Shimon played to perfection, sending every pass to a correct address.

Accordingly, Israet's attack was able to stretch and penetrate the Swedish area to the extent that the hosts could have been two goals up before the halftime whistle as center forward Alon Mizrahi in particular managed to create scoring chances.

In sharp contrast after the interval, the same two midfielders appeared to have stayed in the dressing room, such was their lack of contribution to the national cause. The back line led so valiantly by Arik Benado and Felix Halfon earlier also got the jitters. With such a deep character transformation, the Swedes were bound to win given the greater time they had in possession.

The Israelis should have scored as early as the fifth minute when Moshe Glam sent Ronnie Rosenthal on his way to goal, only for the Tottenham player to fire into Thomas Ravelli's side netting. Sweden's sole opportunity before the break was wasted by Bologna's Kent Andersson who sliced his effort skywards in the 19th minute. That miss singled the start of Israel's best phase.

m N

_

OE/ Jen bek Thu Tel noo and and

For 02-!

THE ier vati

lurr 625

1

12.87



CLOSE ENCOUNTERS - Sweden midfielder Anders Andersson (r) battles for the ball with Israel defender Arik Benado. Sweden won the international friendly, 1-0.

In the 24th minute, Mizrahi rose higher than the two hurly defenders who were meant to attend to him and directed his header across goal beyond the reach of Ravelli, only to be foiled hy the post. Abuksis then sent in a free kick that Eli Ohana gathered and dis-patched into goal, hut German-referee Harmut Strampe correctly ruled the move offside. In the 26th minute, Ohana sprinted to the byline on the left and crossed to Mizrahi, Just as the Bnei Yehuda captain was about to bome in on the ball hefore an empty net, Johan Mjallby cleared to the relief of Ravelli who was no doubt keen in to end his 136th national appearance with a clean sheet. Following an injury to left back Glam, the hosts began to fade.

After the interval, it was one-way traffic as the Swedes speeded up the play and managed to pin their opponents back. Only Alon Hazan -brought in for Glam - seemed capable of getting the ball forward. The stage was therefore clearly set for a Swedish win when

Andersson waltzed methodically into Cohen's area with 21 minutes to go, turned Nir Klinger, then Ben-Shimon and Amir Shelach before choosing his spot. It is a matter of speculation as to whether Cohen should have saved the resulting goal. Two further chances came Sweden's way later the match but Cohen was in place to deny both attempts hy sper Blomqvist.

The introduction of Guy Yitzhak - for his international debut - and

Shai Holtzman in the final quarter good test for us." hour gave Israel a little more sharpness hut not enough to salvage the match.

After the game, national coach Shlomo Scharf summed up saying, "We were naive in front of goal and our players lack the stamina and conviction to play at this level." Scharf pointed to the low standard of the Israeli league for this. "I expect a much better performance and far greater motivation against

Luxembourg," Scharf added. Swedish coach Tommy Svensson was in better mood at the postmatch press conference. "We were disorganized and couldn't find our rhythm in the first half. But in the second half we settled down and didn't allow Israel to find their game. All in all, this was a very

In the 12 matches between the two nations, the Swedes are 7-4-1. Teams: Israel: 1-Rafi Cohen. 2-Felix Halfon, 3-Moshe Glam (14-Alon Hazan 45th minute). 4-Amir Shelah, 5-Arik Benado, 6-Nir Klinger, 7-Alon Mizrahi (19-Shai Holtzman 75th), 8-Yossi Abuksis (15-Guy Yitzhak 76th), 9-Ronnie Rosenthal, 10-Ran Ben-Shimon, 11-Eli Ohana. Sweden: 1-Thomas Ravelli (12-Magnus Hedman 45th), 2-Roland Nilsson, 3-Christian Carlsson, 4-Andreas Jacobsson, 5-Lucic Teddy (15-Niclas Alexandersson 72nd), 6-Johan Mjalihy, 7-Hakan Mild, 8-Anders Andersson, 9-Andreas Andersson, 10-Kent Andersson (Mathias 61st), 11-Jesper Svensson Blomgvist.

For Maccabi, it's all or Efes Tel Aviv hoopsters face host Efes Pilsen in rubber match

By BRIAN FREEMAN

Maccabi Tel Aviv did not have much time to savor its 78-65 victory over Efes Pilsen on Tuesday night. Instead the team caught a flight yesterday moming to Istanbul for the third and decisive game in tonight's Final 16 series. The odds do not point toward a Maccabi victory. The Israelis have lost five consecutive European road games, and Efes Pilsen is undefeated in nine Euro League home contests this season, includ-

ing its 76-67 victory over Maccabi in Game t. However, Maccahi is not the only team with its back to the wall. Both clubs are under great pressure to advance to the quarterfinals, as anything less would be seen as a failure.

Both Maccahi and Efes have recent memories of failing in very similar circumstances. Three seasons ago, Efes reached Game 3 of the European quarterfinals with the home-court advantage against Barcelona. Despite an 8-1 home mark entering the contest, the Turks lost the deciding game in Istanbul, and Barcelona went on to

the Final Four. In 1992, Maccabi also reached the third game of the quarterfinals, but lost on the road, 55-54, before the fanatical crowd of Estudiantes

Maccabi Tel Aviv's stats in Final 16 series 49.4% (88-178) 52.9% (100-189) 41.5% (22-53) 50.5% (46-91) 33.3% (40-120) 43.5% (27-62) 48.6% (71-146) 51.1% (22-65) Buck Johnson Randy White Borko Radovic Nadav Henefek Derrick Sharp 90.9% (10-11 81.9%(13-21 18.5 11.5 14.3 15.4 5.0 7.4 10.1 7.3 11.8 3.9 100%(3-3) 0% (0-0) 55.5% (5-9) 80.0% (4-6) 80.0% (4-6) 80.0% (2-2) 0% (0-0) 0% (0-2) 61.5% (10-19) 55.5% (10-19) 80.0% (4-5) 66.7% (8-12) 50.0% (5-10) 25.0% (2-8) 44.4% (4-9) 4.4% (4-9) 11.0 10.5 9.0 6.5 5.0 Oded Katast Brad Leaf 3.0 3.0 (3-16)

Efes Pilsen's stats in Final 16 series

iyer	Scoring	Ave, before series	Shooting from field	Shooting before series	Free
ik Sarica	15.5	10.6	47.0% (8-17)	40.0% (58-145)	85.7% (6-
tar Naumoski	15.0	21.3	38.0% (8-21)	50.7% (101-199)	85.7%(12-
ssilij Karassev	15.0	13.6	57.1%(8-14)	50.0%(68-136)	86.6% (13-
ner Oyguc	10.0	6.5	64.3% (9-14)	53.0% (44-83)	100% (2-
sad Turkcan	9.5	11.7	26,9% (7-26)	57.4% (50-87)	66.7% (4-
mick Alston	8.0	9.0	35.7% (5-14)	48.9% (22-45)	85.7% (6-
kan Aydin	Q	3.7	0% (0-2)	34.7% (16-46)	0% (0-0

Jordan is 6th-leading scorer Leicester to face Boro in League Cup final

LONDON (Reuter) - Middlesbrough last night advanced to the finals of the League Cup, following their 2-1 aggregate win over Stockport and will face Leicester in the final on April 6 at Wembley.

Stockport won the second leg of the semifinal bout, 1-0, but it was not in the first ercome Borro's

BOSTON (AP) - Michael The Homets, one of the league's Jordan became the NBA's sixth hottest teams with 10 victories in games, couldn't put away the all-time leading scorer with 32 Grizzlies, who bave a league-high points that boosted his career total to 26,399 in the Chicago Bulls' 53 losses, until Rice had a 3-point-117-106 victory over the Boston er and a steal to key a run midway Celtics on Tuesday night.

through the fourth quarter. With 19 games left in the regular season, the Hornets (41-22) have matched their victory total from last year. Rockets 103, Spurs 79 Kevin Willis scored 19 points and Houston completed a sweep of its five-game road trip. It was the sixth straight win overall for Houston, which played without injured All-Stars Clyde Drexler and Charles Barkley during the trip. The Rockets moved within 2½ games of Utah for first place in the Midwest Division. Monty Williams had 19 points for the injury-plagued Spurs, who had their two-game winning streak snapped. Timberwoives 104, 76ers 100

Marbury finished with 24 points -- Israel gains 2nd team from the field and 14-of-19 from the free throw line.

Gugliotta and Doug West each finished with 13 points, and Kevin Garnett added 11 points and 12

Madrid. A similar boisterous bunch will be on hand tonight in Istanbul, but history will be thrown out the window once the game begins. In order to give themselves a fair chance at victory, Maccabi must play the type of team defense it demonstrated on Tuesday at Yad

نع. چې

 ξ_{i}, ξ

10 N

. . .

ũ.

- -

SSL START

16.55

10.7.7

- 20

 $A \in F$

Difference Mi

1.24

911:22:22

States R

10 Jeffered an

19 10:212

STOL: 1

ULS antag

12

1400 u toe be

15 Depression

WEe mailing

ISBitter ad:

B Dentrus and

selptor .10

70222 CRCC;

Watsfer 1ats

1.1

.

Eliyahu. The Israelis must also be patient on offense and connect on a high percentage of its free throws; as every point will be crucial. Who will provide Maccabi with

the outside shooting is a worrisome concern. With Doron Sheffer (3.0 points on 18.7 percent shooting in the series) and Oded Katash (6.5 points on 25% shooting) well below. their European averages, the Israelis had to rely on Borko Radovic in Game 1 and Derrick Sharp on Tuesday to provide the long-range firepower. Will there be somebody to step up tonight?

So far, Maccabi has been successful in containing star point guard Petar Naumoski, who is six points below his Euro League average in the series and has not had his usually decisive influence on the flow of action. Preventing him from erupfing with a monster game must be one of Maccabi's main goals.

The game is scheduled to be broadcast life on Channel 1 starting at 6 p.m.

Their foes will be Leicester City, who made up for the disappointment of a recent FA Cup exit to a controversial penalty by reaching the League Cup final on Tuesday.

Leicester beat Wimbledon on the away goals rule with a 1-1 draw in their semifinal second leg after the two teams had fought a 0-0 draw in the first leg.

The result ended Wimbledon's bopes of appearing in both English cup finals, the London club having already reached the FA Cup semifinals. Leicester, ousted 1-0 at Chelsca in a fifth-round FA Cup replay after a

disputed penalty, came from behind to secure success over Wimhledon. Wimbledon seized the initiative after 23 minutes. Leicester defender Julian Watts miscued an attempted clearance on the left, Marcus Gayle took possession, sped forward and unleashed a fierce shot which beat

American goalkeeper Kasey Keller. But Leicester equalized eight minutes into the second half from a freekick on the right, Simon Grayson rising at the far post to head home what proved to be the crucial goal.

Leicester clung on to their slender advantage through extra time, Gary Parker twice clearing off the line from successive Wimbledon corners in the last three minutes.

In Premier League action last night, it was Leeds 0, Southampton 0; Sheffield Wednesday 2, Sunderland 1; West Ham 3, Chelsea 2. On Tuesday, Nottingham Forest drew 1-1 at Blackburn.

Joseph Hoffman & Ori Lewis: Sports Editors

1161.

Jordan, who has been playing for 12 seasons, moved past former. Celtic John Havlicek's total from 16 seasons. With 20 games left this season, Jordan needs just 312 points to move into fifth place past Oscar Robertson's 26,710 points in 14 seasons.

Hawks 106, Jazz 99 Steve Smith scored 27 points and Mookie Blaylock had 26 as bost Atlanta won its fifth straight game.

Atlanta made a season-high 40, free throws and shut down the Jazz after John Stockton's 3-pointer with 5:36 remaining gave Utah a 92-90 lead. Although losing, the Jazz became the second team, after the Bulls, to clioch a playoff SDOT

Hornets 98, Grizzlies 92 Glen Rice scored 20 of his 24 points in the second half and host Charlotte struggled before extending its longest winning streak of the season to six games.

SITUATIONS VACANT

Tel Aviv

HOUSEHOLD HELP

IMMEDIATE JOBS AVAILABLE, triend-

liest lamilies, best conditions, the agen-cy with e heart for the Au Pairs. Call Hil-ma, Tel. (03) 965-9937.

FORGET THE REST!!! We are the best!! The biggest and oldest agency in Israel. For the highast live-In jobe phone Au Pair International. Tel. 03-619-0423.

STAR AU PAIR INTERNATIONAL seeks

2 South Alrican au pairs, Ilve-in, lor 2 fa-milies in Tel Aviv, \$750. Tal. 03-6201195, 052-452002.

FOR NICE FAMILY, au pair, good condi-tions, high salary. Tel. 03-537-1036.

Stephon Marbury got the best of fellow rookie Allen Iverson late in the fourth quarter as Minnesota won at home.

Marbury led a frantic fourthquarter rally with 13 of the Wolves' final 18 points as Minnesota outscored Philadelphia 18-4 in the final 5:52 to erase a 14point deficit, its largest of the game.

sion

54 45

New York

-Chicago

Detroit Atlanta Charlotte

Cleveland Indiana Milwaukee

Tomoto

Miami Orlando

Mavericks 91, Knicks 83 Host Dallas caught the Knicks

apparently still celebrating their upset of Chicago and ended New York's seven-game winning streak.

Michael Finley scored 23 points and Erick Strickland added 22, including 12-for-12 shooting from the free throw line.

Strickland's four free throws in the final 36.9 iced the game.

The Knicks failed for the third time this season to extend a winning streak to eight games. Their previous seven-game runs came to an end with a 34-point loss at Detroit and a 20-point loss at Scattle.

Heat 108, Bucks 93

Tim Hardaway had 29 points and made six 3-pointers and reserve center Isaac Austin added a season-high 26 points as Miami won on the road.

P.J. Brown had a season-high 19 points as the Heat beat the Bucks for the 17th straight time, including nine in a row at the Bradley Center.

DNFE	RENCE	2	WESTERN CONFERENCE					
			Midwest Div					
L	Pct	GB		W	L.	Pct	GB	
17	.734		x-Utah	45	17	.726		
17	.730	- ¥	Houston	43	20	.683	28	
28	.541	12%	Minnesota	31	30	.508	13%	
33	.459	17%	Dallas	20	41	.328	24%	
43	295	27%	Denver	18	44	.290	27	
45	262	29%	SanAnlonio	15	47	242	30	
51	.190	34%	Vancouver	11	53	.172	35	
•			Pacific Divis					
6	.871		Seattle	43	16	.705		
17	.726	9	LA, Lakers	41	20	.672	ž	
19	.694	11	Portland	36	28	.563	6¥	
22	.651	13%	Sacramento	žš	35	.444	ĩõ	
27	.557	19%	LA. Clippers		34	.433	16%	
32	.475	24%	Phoenix	24	38	.387	19%	
36	.419	28	Golden State		38	.377	20	
10	OFF							

Tuesday's results: Chicago 117, Boston 106; Charlotte 98, Vancouver 92; Atlanta 106, Utah 99; Houston 103, San Antonio 79; Minnesota 104, Philadelphia 100; Miami 108, Milwankee 93; Dallas 91, New York 83; Orlando 96, Denver 91; Toronto 105, Phoenix 101; Portland 109, LA Clippers 105; Seattle 93, Detroit 80; Cleveland 88, Sacramento 85.

National Hockey League

EASTERN CONFERENCE Atlantic Division					WESTERN CONFERENCE Central Division								
												w	L
Philadelphia	38	20	10	88	226	173	Dallas	40	23	5	85	205	
New Jersey	36	19	12	84	188	155	Detroit	32	19	15	79	211	
Florida	30	23	15	75	180		Phoenix	31	33	4	66	192	
N.Y. Rangers	\$ 31	28	ĝ	71	219		St. Louis	29	31	6	66	199	
TampaBay	27		ž	61		206	Chicago	26	31				
Washington	27	33	. ź	ăí	170		Toronto			11	63	174	
N.Y. Islander		34		56		198		25	37	5	55	188	23
Northeast D				30	103	190	Pacific Oivis			_			
WWWWWWWWWWW		- ·	-	-	~-	.		W	L .	Т	Pts	GF	GA
	W	L.	T	Pts		GA	x-Colorado	41	17	9	91	228	163
Buffalo	35	21	11	61	195	167	Edmonton	31	31	7	69	213	
Pittsburgh	32	28	6	70	228	216	Anaheim	28	30	ġ	85	195	
Hartford	26	30	10	62	183	201	Calgary	28	34	7	63	161	
Montreal	24	32	13	61	210	243	Vancouver	28	36	1			
Ottawa	22	32	13	57		197				2	60	209	
Boston	23	35	9	55		238	Los Angeles	25	35	g	59	184	
		00		~	.47	2.00	San Jose	23	37	7	53	172	220

Tuesday's results; Buffalo 3, Philadelphia 2 (OT); New Jersey 6, Edmonton 1; Washington 4, Vancouver 1; Florida 3, N.Y. Islanders 2; St.Louis 4, San Jose 3.

By BRIAN FREEMAN

Despite the loss hy Hapoel Jerusalem in the European Cup quarterfinals on Tuesday to Iraklis Salonika, Israel will still gain a second representative in the Euro League next season. Every team which reaches the Final Four of the European Cup tourna-

in Euro League

ment secures an additional place for its country in the Euro League. However, three of the teams in the semifinals - Real Madrid, Verona and Racing Paris - represent countries which already have the maximom three clubs. (Iraklis won back the third spot for Greece, which was set to lose it due to the last-place finish of Panionios in one of the Euro League's four groups this season).

This leaves three Euro League spots open, to be contested among the four teams which lost in the European Cup quarterfinals: Turkey, Israel, Poland and Portugal.

FIBA decides which of these countries receives the extra Euro League spot based on the ranking of each nation's league. Since Israel is certain to be ranked at least above Poland, this assures Israel an extra spot.



F-1 driver rules out mistake by Senna

IMOLA, Italy (AP) - Former Formula One driver Pierluigi Martini testified yesterday that only a problem with his car could have caused Ayrton Senna's fatal crash during the 1994 San Marino Grand Prix.

Martini, testifying in the trial of six top F-1 officials charged with manslaughter for the death of the three-time world champion, said "a driver like Ayrton Senna would not have sped off the. track at that point if not for some problem. But I don't know what the problem could have been," said the 35-year-old Italian.

Prosecutor Maurizio Passarini contends that a badly modified steering column in Senna's car cracked, causing the crash.

Senna failed to take the Tamburello comer and crashed against a concrete wall. The Brazilian died of massive head injuries.

The prosecutor contends that the steering column broke after it was modified to make it shorter.

Ferdinand likely sidelined

NEWCASTLE (AP) - A hamstring injury will likely keep Newcastle striker Les Ferdinand out of next Tuesday's UEFA Cup quarterfinal second-leg game against Monaco.

Ferdinand aggravated the injury when he came on as a substitute in Newcastle's 4-3 loss to Liverpool on Monday night. He limped off after just 11 minutes.

Newcastle is already without its top striker, Alan Shearer, who is sidelined after undergoing surgery for a groin injury.

Philippoussis defeats Agassi behind 23 aces

INDIAN WELLS, Ca (AP) - Defending champion Michael Chang needed just 75 minutes to beat unseeded Sjeng Schalken 6-4, 6-3 Tuesday night and advance to the third round of the

Newsweek Champions Cup. Mark Philippoussis, the hardest-hitting server in terms, bad 23 aces as he defeated 10th-seeded Andre Agassi 7-6(7-5), 7-6 (7-5). Agassi, considered to have one of the best returns of serve, could not handle the Australian's 23 aces, one clocked at 139 mph (223 kph). Philippoussis, the winner of last week's-Franklin Classic in Scottsdale, Arizona, faced Agassi for the first time.

м. (. .

DANISH, FINNISH & Korean-speakers wanted for permanent job in Ramat Gan, High salary. Call Eran, Tel. 03-575-8255.

Jerusalem

ERICANS LEAVING - SELLING large schold of lumiture, etc. Tel. 02-534

VEHICLES

UNRESTRICTED

600 m. + cottage 300 m., lucurious, swim-ming pool. Tel. 02-537-6777, 02-563-6814. GERMAN COLONY, LARGE, unique 2,3 or 4. Basement, garden, immediate (no commissions). DiVIROLLI SIANI. Tel. (2-561-2424.

WHERE TO STAY

a BEOROOM APARTMENT In Jerusa-lem available April 16 - 30. Fully tur-niehed. Also, holiday apartment, fully equipped in Tiberias. Fax. 02-581-1385, Tel. 02-581-0870.

DWELLINGS

Sharon Area

RENTALS

HERZLIYA PITUAH FOR rent, 4 bedroom

cottage, tully furnished, Immediala en-try, Moran Real Estate (Maldan), Tel. 09-

CLASSIFIEDS

DWELLINGS

Jerusalem Area

RENTALS

GERMAN COLONY, UNIQUE, 3 or 4,

garden, besemant, parking, long term. Im-mediate. (No commission). DIVIROLLI SIANJ, Tel 02-5612424.

RAMAT SHARETT, HALF two-lamily

home, new, 6 rooms + attic + parking + garden, option for additional rooms. ZI-MUKI. Tel. 02-563-8221.

SALES

BARGAINI KIRYAT SHMUEL, near theater, 3.5, green, 2nd floor. \$245,000. ANGLO SAXON (MALDAN), Tel. 02-625-

GERMAN COLONY, PENTHOUSE,

DWELLINGS

WHERE TO STAY

THE JERUSALEM INN at the city Center - double or large family rooms, pri-vate baihroom, T.V./talaphone, quality turniehed. Tel. n2-625-2757, Fax; 02-625-1297.

RATES

PRICES ARE AS FOLLOWS - All rates include VAT: Single Weekday - NIS 128.70 for 10 words (minimum), each additionel word NIS

FRIDAY AND HOLIOAY EVE - NIS

198.90 10 words (minimum], each addi-tional word NIS 19.89, MONDAY, WEDNESDAY end FRI-

OAY (package) - NIS 292.50 for 10 words (minimum),each additional word - NIS

29.25 WEEK RATE (6 insertions) - NIS 409.50 for 11 words (minimum), each additional word - NIS 40.95.

word - NIS 40.95. FO UR FRIDAYS (packaga) - NIS 528.50 for 10 words (minimum), each ad-ditional word - NIS 52.65. MONTHLY (24 Insertions) - NIS 994.50 for 10 words (minimum), each additional word - NIS 99.45.

New Retas ere valid until March 31 1997.

DEADLINES offices: Jerusalem - weekdays: 12 noon the day before publication; for Friday 4 p.m. on

Thursday. Tal Aviv and Hella - weekdeys: 12

noon, 2 days before publication; for Friday and Sunday: 4 p.m. Thursday in Tel Aviv and 12 noon Thursday in Halfa.

For telephone enquiries please call 02-5315644.

General

JERUSALEM LODGES LTD. Short and long term rentals, Bed and breaklast, P.O. Box 4233, Jerusalem 91044. Tel. 02-5611745, Fax: 02-561-8541.



-2759

SEEKING WOMAN, 25 - 35, FROM Eu-rope, South America, Philippines, housekaeper, live-in lor al least one year. Tel. 03-549-0404 (from 16:00). MISC.

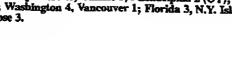
PURCHASE/SALES

HOUSEHOLD SALE

4370

Jerusalem

ARIE PALOGE - QUALITY CARS: buying, selling, leasing, trading. Tel. 02-6523735, 050-240977



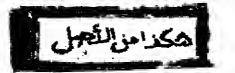
المحكزا من التصل

40 .355 32 x-clinched playoff spot

47 46 33 28 16 18 Washington New Jersey Philadelphia Boston Central Divi

EASTERN CO Atlantic Division

12



selem Post **b**1, ce host match

. . . .

terous bunch win the in Istanbul, bu themselves a for team defense p Thesday at Yat t and connect on of its free three wide Maccabi via ting is a worrisone Doron Sheffer 139

Oded Katash (6) hooting) well beles an averages, is the rely on Bon. they to provide the power. Will there be ep up toright cabi has been me. ataming star DOF SOMOSEL WEO IS ST his Euro Leage series and has to v decisive infilero ing with a measu a one of Marcani

is scheduled to b on Channel I say

al 16 series Starts Frisk Carpes

100-175 854 (100-169 12-4) (122-5) (105-9) 11-4 (119-43) 5-4 116 22. 4 27 22 6 71 146 16 series -14

14 44 C - i - i - i d team

que

aropean - -----

all gas a second

Laconterior

Reze tra

andy files i free marters

incie and and

in the second

De 1000 100 1000

ericus

Nor and Lat. 49

. S.M.

6

Beraci un ette all

C

à tự t

Senna

12405 Q 12 ----

mot Date

30

24 MI- 11

- 2-

BAL 2 Tool

ANT PATER

Carlo Carlo

1.

M Carth

101

and the

A 443

. .

....

makind 23 acts

1.1

in and the set

N et a staff -

. . .

. . . .

. , 14

¥-

The Jerusalem Post Thursday, March 13, 1997

CLASSICAL MUSIC

MICHAEL AJZENSTADT

Han Schul replaces Mario Venzago, who can-

celed his performances with the Israel Symphony

Orchestra Rishon Lezion. Schul leads the orches-

tra in Mendelssohn's Fourth Symphony. Natasha

Tadson plays Weber's Konzertstuck for Piano and

Orchestra and, together with Reinhold Friedrich, Shostakovich's Concerto for Piano and Trumpet.

Tonight and Saturday at the Tel Aviv Performing

Doron Solomon leads his Kibbutz Chamber

Orchestra in Parios's Concertino for Strings and

excerpts from de Falla's El Amor Brujo. Ruben

Seroussi plays Rodrigo's Concierto d'Aranjuez

and Bach's Concerto for Violin and Oboe with

Ella Vaulin and Hila Zabari Peleg as soloists,

Yuval Ben-Ozer, sings selections by Ravel, Saint-Saens, Fanre, Poulenc, Elkan and many others.

The spring concert season at the Dormition

Abbey in Jernsalem opens Saturday (8:30 p.m.) Sith music by Britten, Mendelssohn, Gounod, Bishms, Faire and others as well as Roman

Krasnovsky's solo for organ, Yitzhak's Lament. Contralto Mira Zakai and pianist Menahem

Wiesenberg perform folk songs in artistic guise

by Britten, Ravel, Berio, Brahms, de Falla, Zeira, Hemzi and others. Saturday (8:30) at the Jaffa

Saturday (11.11 a.m.) at Tzavta in Tel Aviv. The New Israeli Vocal Ensemble, directed by

Saturday (8:30) at the Tel Aviv Museum

Arts Center (8:30).

Music Centre.

WHAT'S ON

17:30 French pro

тν CRITIC'S CHOICE I CHANNEL 1 :30 News flast 6:31 News in Arabic 6:45 Exercise Time 7:00 Good Morning EDUCATIONAL TV 8:00 Family Ties 8:45 Medicine Demystified 9:00 Arthmetic 9:25 Reading 9:45 For the young 10:15 Astronomy 10:30 Literature 11:00 Mathemat 11:10 French 11:30 Biology 12:30 Art 13:00 in the Heat of the Night 14:00 Surprise Train 14:20 Kitty Cat and Tommy 14:35 Babar 15:00 Autoto E CHANNEL 1 15:30 Motormice from 15:50 Motormice fro Mars 15:55 Booly 16:00 Friends of Shosh 16:25 Byker Grove 16:45 Eye on TV 16:55 Zap to Basel 16:59 A New Evenin, 17:35 News in Englis 17:50 Basketbalt Macrahi Tel Aviv vs JAZZ Maccebi Tel Aviv vs Eles Pilsen Istanbul Ive from Istanbul 18:35 News in Arabic 18:45 Basketbell --HELEN KAYE Tenor saxophonist Ari Brown returns as the last star of the Jazz at the Museum series. Considered continued 20:00 News Chicago's top jazz sax, Brown goes seamlessly 20:45 Aclors (Hebrew, 1995) - actors fresh from drama school from traditional standards to free jazz and beyond. He'll be playing with such as Dani Gottfried on piano and Eli Magen on bass tonight rom oramat school confront the theater (92 mins.) 22:20 Backtrack – Ehud Manor inter-views Aviv Gefen (rpt) 22:45 American at the Tel Aviv Museum at 9:30. TELEVISION Cothic 23:30 News ELANA CHIPMAN 00:00 Time for Language The bus bombing at Dizengoff Center a year CHANNEL 2 ago was the most violent and traumatic terrorist attack Tel Aviv has known. Now Me tells the story 6:15 Today's Programs 6:30 Sharkey and of one of the victims, 28-year-old Meital Leiderman, who lost her younger brother in the George (rpt) 7:00 Breakdast attack and herself suffered extensive burns and Magazine 9:00 The Third Hour 10:00 Pablo 11:00 Talking About it -- with Danny Roup 12:00 The Girl Next Door 12:30 Truth or Dare 13:00 Sounds from the Concert Hall 14:00 Echo Point 14:30 Tic Tac 15:00 The Best Israeli Video Clips 16:00 The Bold and the Beautiful

grams 19:30 News hear 19:35 Parenthoo 20:00 Cinema, Cin Cinem 20:30 The America Chart Show 21:10 Kung Fu 22:00 News in E 22:25 Remembri starring Angle Dickinson MIDDLE EAST 7:00 TV Shop 14:30 The 700 C 15:00 Gospel Bit 15:30 Strike For (1975) - A New detective, an FB agent and a stat ning. With Richau Gere Gere. 16:55 Family Challenge 17:40 Family M 18:05 Saved by Bell 18:30 Larry King 19:30 World Net Tonight (Arabic) 20:00 CNN Nev 20:30 Beach P 21:30 Land's En 22:30 One Wes Walkiki 23:30 The 700 (00:00 Quantum Shopping CABL ETV 3 (33) 16:15 The Thirs Years 17:30 From Day Day 18:00 Amores 19:00 News in 19:30 Document 20:00 News 20:45 Telekess 21:15 Menhatt Melodrama (1 two childhood f reach the top in professions; on Matia kingpin a other a district ney. With Willia Powell and Cla Gable. Directed W.S. Van Dyke mins.) 22:45 Neon Ri 23:30 Internatio Magazine ETV 2 (23) 15:30 All Toge Now Now 16:00 Tales of 17:30 Wildlife i Russia 18:00 Destince 18:30 Art World V 19:00 World V CBS documen 19:30 Vis à Vi 20:00 A New 20:30 Family 21:00 Star Trek Space 9 17:00 News Magazine with Rafi Reshel 17:30 Open Cards 18:00 Almost Perfect 21:45 Pon So 22:00 Sevent 22:30 Equinor 23:30 The Ca 18:30 Kickoff – soccer 19:00 Pacific Blue 20:00 News 20:30 Candid Camera Géniza **H FAMILY** CHANNEL (3 21:30 Dan Shilon Live 22:30 Now Me (1997) 8:00 Dailas (n 9:00 One Life - the story of the recovery of 28-year-old Meital Leiderman, (rpt) 9:45 The You Dizengoti Center bomb. 23:30 Ticket for Two

0-	20-50 Cale Paris	-	PR	7
dines	21:15 The Commish 22:05 High Society		PD	
ndi njerma,	22:55 Love Story with Yossi Siyas			
an	23:00 Friends - reruns			L
	23:25 ER 00:15 ENG	19:30	1.0	1
inglish nance	Newsroom 1:05 Barnaby Jones	1.4.1		ł.
· .	2:00 The Pointman 2:45 Under Suspicion	20:00	News	1
a TV	3:45 The Great Defender			L
	MOVIE	20:30	Actors	
Qub .	CHANNEL (4)		AGOIS	ľ
de York	11:30 Nightmare in the Daylight (1992)	21.06		
	(nt) 13:00 New in the		-	L
drug std	Cinema 13:10 Dishonored	21:30	•	
	Lady (1947) - maga- zine editor is accused			Ī
atters	of killing her former boytriend. With Hedy	22:09	Backtrack	ſ
the	Lamarr (80 mins) 14:35 Seeing Stars	84 N		1
g W/S	15:25 Dream Date (1985) (rpt)	22:39	American	ľ
	17:05 Utildes (1983)		Gothic	ł
NS strol	(rpl) 18:40 Brother's Destiny (1995) -	23:00		
ndi st	wohane finiti actansi.			
Club	being separated (rpt) 20:15 Edie & Pen (1995) (rpt)	films. An	aging profes	-
	(1995) (rpt) 21:45 New in the Cinema	tel with h	is to the capi is daughter-	
_	22:00 The Killers Within (1995) - an	wize W	receive a th Ingrid	•
E	influential journalist is murdered and his	Thulin an Sjostrom	, (87 mins.)	
-	brother uncovers a congressman in	Disco	OVERY (8)	
st of	cahoots with neo-	6:00 Op	en University se, Infinite	÷
y to	Nazis (89 mins.) 23:35 The Wrong Man (1993) — A ship-	Form; The Earth	ve Stars,	
	hand on the run for a murder he didn't com-	12:00 A	Century of part 2 (rpt)	
Arabic Intary in	mit catches a ride with a nasty drunk and his	13:00 A	l In Valn (rpt) pen Universit	v
	Starring Rosanna		Century of	
an	Arquette, John Lithgow, and an eene	Women.	part 2 (rpt) I In Vain (rpt)	
134) - friends	soundtrack by Los Lobos. (105 mins.)	18:00 O	pen Universi	y
n their ne a	1:25 A Dangerous Woman (1993) (rpt)	(rpt) 20:00 B	indis in 1. part 1:	
and the attor-	3:10 Taking the Heat (1993) (rpt)	Woodla	horids Apart,	
ami arik	CHILDREN (6)	nart 7 -	Bali ortrait of the	
d by a IL (86	6:30 Carloons	Wild, pa	nt 2 Messiaen	
ider	9:00 Nils Holgersson 9:30 The Center of	Master C	lass pus 20 by	
ional Art	9:45 Pink Panther	Olivier) 00:00 F	Nessiaen	÷
	10:00 The Center of Things		dia blending	•
ther	10:20 Mirror, Mirror (rpt)	reality 8	nd imagination	30
Life	11:05 Welcome, Freshmen (rpt)	and Fri	satie Sen Universit	
m	11:35 Cream with Michal Yanai	(npt)		
is Ikshop	12:20 Twisted Tales of Felix	SUP	ER CHANNE	Τ.,
Nari	12:30 Hugo 13:00 Make Believe	6:00 Gr the Wo	reat Houses	of
is Evening		6:30 VI	P	
Album c Deep	13:35 Return of the Three Musketeers	7:30 NE	ne Ticket (rpf) IC Nightly New n Brokaw	rs
ings	14:05 Dennis the Menace	8:00 To	day	÷
y Faces x	14:30 Nils Holgersson 15:00 The Center of	Squaw	European k Box - stock	cs
iro .	Things 15:15 Pink Panther	Money	Europeen Wheel CNBC Squar	-
	15:50 Clarissa Explains	, Box (U	S) .	AL.
9	16:15 The Center of Things	Garder	Homes and hs: Art and	
pt) s to Live	16:35 Saved By the Bell	17:30	e of Gardeni Interiors by	19
ing and	17:05 Little University 17:30 Shesh-Tus		MSNBC - Th	18
(ipt)	18:00 Hugo	Sile 19:00	National	

is mish		DP	I M	F ·	ΓΙΝ	TE		τV
iety ry with	į							nga 1997 - San
		MALENE.	-			1		
	19:30	. 1				Cream W Nichal		
ones man	140.45		News	Sunset		Yanai		Birds in
spicion	20:00	News		Beach	Edie & Pen	Animania	CS	Australia
	00.20		Candid		1	Married 1 Children		
	20:30	Actors	Camera .	Gale Paris		Roseann	•	· ·
ne in	21.00				.			Worlds
392)			-	The Commish		Silders		Apert
he	21:30		Dan Shiion		New in the			Portrait of the Wild
red maga-					Cinema			· ·
CCUSECI .	22:00	Backtrack		High Society	The Killers Within	Le Petit Prince A	Dit	Oilvier Meesiaan
Hedy 15) Stars	N	Backtown	Now Me	Love Story				Martin Clas
Date	22:30	American	LECAL HERE	with Yossi				Opus 20 b Olivier
(1983)	23:00	Gothic		Siyas Friends	1		- 5	Messiaen
s	20.00					İ		
igainst id (rpt) Pen			C .14		E PRIME SPO	ote	(mil)	
the	con travel	aging profes- s to the capi-	Florida 6:30 El TV 7:00 Kate a		6:00 Watersoo) World Spo
ers	in-law io prize. Wi	is deughter- receive a	7:30 Oprah 8:30 Picket	Wintrey	7:00 Table Tennis Open		Techr	Science and clogy
- an nalist is	Tradin an	d Victor . (87 mins.)	9:30 Santa 10:30 The E	Barbara Sold and	9:00 Spanish S League	Soccer	Khar	DQ&Awith 5 American
hts ersa in		WERY (8)	the Beautitu 11:00 Hindi	shows	9:30 Athletics: Federation Cup	Cross	Editio	
80- S.)	6:00 Ope	an University	12:30 Land Giants 13:30 Black		Country 10:00 Golf: Thi PGA Tour	is is	Toda	
ong Aship-	Form; Th	e Stars;	14:00 Kate 14:30 Chef	and Allie	11:00 Indian La Soccer	eugue	(m0) 23:0	0 European
in for a nt com-	Waman	Century of . part 2 (rpt)	15:00 Hindi 17:30 Star	programs News	13:00 ISU Ska Finals			0 Insight
nde with and his wite.	13:00 A	In Vain (rpt) cen University	18:00 Are Y Served	fou Being	15:00 WWF R 16:00 Golf: US	FGA,	Toda	y Update
nna. Nna	(m) 16:00 A	Century of	18:30 Bayw 19:30 The	Bold and	Doral Ryder O 17:30 Cricket: Tour of West in	Indian	1:00	World View Moneyline
an eerie Los	17:00 Al	part 2 (rpt) I In Vain (rpt)	the Beautilt 20:00 Sant 21:00 Star	a Barbara	18:30 Indian L Soccer			World New
nins.) Rous	(rpt)	pen University	21:30 Spec and Beyon	e: Above	20:30 Table Te Qatar Open	analis:		
3) (rpt) ne Heat	20:00 Bi Australia Woodlar	, part 1:	episode 23:00 Fant	asy Island	22:30 Athletics Federation Cu	-		RADI
		onds Apart,	00:30 Opra 1:30 Bama	ah Winfrey	Country 23:00 WWF F		= V	OICE OF N
4 (6) s	21:30 Pt Wid. pa	ortrait of the rt 2			D0:00 Asian S Show		6:00	5 Morning C 5 Bach: Viol
gersson ster of	Master C	vier Messiaen lass	CHANN	EL5 _	1:00 Winter S 1:30 Trans W Sport		cert	o In A minoi ndelssohn: I
nther	Olivier N	pus 20 by Aessiaen	8:30 Bodie 16:00 Bod	es in Motion lies in	2:30 Golf: PC	SA Tour		no 2 in C m Mozart: Cla
enter of	DO:00 Fi Melamo	rphoses	Motion 16:30 Soc	cen League	BBC WOR	ю	Bra	certo in A K hms: Sonat
Mirror	reality a	nd imagination	TOURDOP		News on the 6:05 Pandora		for v 100	violin and pi ; Chopin: P
me, x()	and Eric		17:30 Wor Basketball		(rpt) 10:05 Great	loumeys	Pe	icerto no 2; ace on Earl
d Tales of	(101)		nais 19:30 Vol		(rpt) 11:30 Holiday			00 Noon wi
	SUM	ER CHANNEL	Hapoel Ba	at Yam vs.	14:05 Horizon 15:15 World I Benort	Business	mu	sic and quiz
Believe	the Woo		22:00 Spa League S	nish	15:30 Asia-Pa Newshour	acilic	15:	00 Voice of gazine
Spencer of the	6:30 VII 7:00 Th	e Ticket (rpf)		ith American	16:30 Top Ge 17:05 Pando	ar (nd) ra's Box	16: Jei	ine: Chanse
s the	with Ton	C Nightly News Brokaw day	00:30 NC Basketbal		(rpi) 18:30 Film '9	7 (mpt)	Fat	ntasia for vi semble; Hay
olgersson	8:00 To 10:00 E	European c Box - stocks			19:30 The Cl Show	othes	OD	ing cuartet 64/6; Schu
enter of		LEODOGN	III EUROS	SPORT	20:00 The W Today		So	nata in A m ilin and pian
Panther Sa	15:30 C	NBC SQUANK	10:30 Fig	ure Skating:	22:05 Corres (rpt)		hu	5; Poulenc: maine; Kod
enter of	17:00	tomes and is: Art and	US Cham Nashville	ipionships,	22:50 Earth (rpt)		an	renade for 2 d viola op 1 200 New Cl
By the	Practic	e of Gardening nieriors by	Women's	and Men's	23:30 Tomor World 00:00 World		M	an Exhibitio
University	Design	topo The	World Cu		Business Re		Re	vel: Valses

ng Live 0 NUSIC

:11

Concert n con-Piano ninor op larinet K622; sta in A iano op **Teno** Martin: th oratoñh familiar ΰZ. of Music Le sons and ayon: t in E flat mann ninor for no op Figure 2 violins Ds -Pictures 30 s nobles **Business Report** 2:10 Newsnight et sent Serenade for strings op 39 20:05 From the Recording Studio – Yevgeny Yehudin (clarinet), Grigory Yanovsky (cello), Irena Aharon (plano). Schumann: 3 **Romances for clarinet** and piano op 94; Grieg: Sonata in A minor for cello and pieno op 36; Glinka: Trio pathetique for clarinet, cello and piano 21:00 Clouds, Celebrations and Sirens 23:00 The Art of the Song

٢.

100

۹

,* e

.....

٠

 \cdot

, ,

d

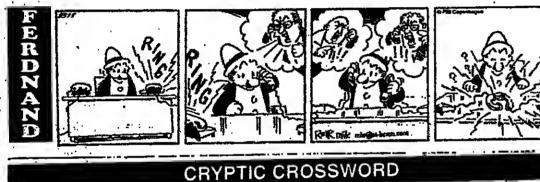
Ilan Schul conducts Mendelssohn in Tel Aviv.

V with Jonathan Tcherchi (Saturday, Inbal, 8 and 9:45 p.m.), and Call Waiting with Anat Barzilai on the phone (Saturday, hall 4, 8 and 9:45 p.m.). All shows play three times. (Hebrew)

THEATER HELEN KAYE

Cain't say no to Oklahoma!, the Light Opera Group of the Negev (LOGON) production of Rodgers and Hammerstein's all-time great classic musical Gabriella (Sound of Music) Lewis and Rosa Howden share Laurey, Stephen Howden is her sweetheart Curly, and marvelous Marcus Meyerowitz is "pore" Jud Fry. Tonight at the Netanya municipal auditorium at 8:30. (English, with Hebrew supertitles)

The TheaterNetto festival and competition of monodramas kicks off tonight at Suzanne Dellal. Among the recommended plays of the 12 on offer areAlong the Walls (tonight, mainstage, 8) per-formed by Rosina Kambos, The Spit (tonight, Inbal, 8 and 11:15) from Orna Katz, Red Threads played by Uri Avrahami (tomorrow, Inbal, 9:30 and 11:15 p.m.), Josephine performed by Nelly Amar (tomorrow, hall 4, 9:30 and 11:15 p.m.), Mr



shattered limbs. The film, by Yael Kiefer, followed her for nine months, throughout her process of rehabilitation and the rebuilding of her relationship with her husband. This is a moving tale of willpower, courage, optimism and love. Channel 2 at 10:30 tonight.

ACROSS 1 Female MP in charge of

home affairs (4,2,3,5) 9 Monarch embraced by departing Reichsmarschall

10 Refined and of a gentle disposition (7)

11 US acting award for Mr Hopkins (4)

12 Street party she arranged features Scottish dance (10)

14 Gill is the head (6)

11

15 Depressed by charge to transfer data (8)

17He publishes criticism about the TV watcher (8)

18 Bitter admission by woman doctor (6)

21 Devious exiles trap Greek sculptor (10)

22 Resonant sound from a Czech orchestra (4) 24 He muddled his words when kissing and cuddling (\mathcal{T}) 25 Left one firm in the colonnade (7)

26 Kindly northerners follow thoroughfare to London church (2,7,5)

> . . . DOWN

1 Happen to find some illumination (5,2) 2 Fails to sound the horn, but

is unconcerned (6,4,1,4) 3 Neglect appeal by US

technological centre (4) 4 Hose taken by niggardly.

. . .

500. (6)

10

8

15

5 Used a lever to lift (8) 6 Anything but tight-fisted (4-6) 7 Made local city postmen

lose yen for philately (5,10) 8 Remained in a corset (6) 13 It indicates exactly when ligament is damaged (4,6)

16 Cable TV has little weight (8) 17 Secretary tucked into remains of the meal (6) 19 Brazilian city in our view is

wanton (7) 20 Continue to mag (4,2) 23 Rez put in defective nail (4)

SOLUTIONS

Yesterday's Quick Solution ACROSH 7 Pauper, 8 Nickai, 10 Larceny, 11 Deter, 19 Kach, 13 Atuna, 17 Agony, 18 Bann, 22 Adags, 53 Escapes, 24 Encite, 25 Absent.

DOWN: 1 Applied, 2 Embrace, 3 Barri, 4 Bidding, 5 Shate, 6 Alarm, 9 Bystander, 14 Agitate, 15 Templet, 18 Annesty, 19 Raven, 26 Tamplet, 15 Anna Farce, 21 Scaba.

QUICK CROSSWORD

25 Scarcity (6)

. .



DOWN 1 Frank(6) 2 Labour (4) 3 Caribbean rock music (6) 4 Affectionate (6) 5 Airhole (4) 6 Clerical speech (6) 7 Of marble (9) 8 Rookie (9) 11 Lock (5) 12 Sweet wine (5) 15 Hackneyed phrase (6) 16 Overindulged (6) 17 Went hungry (6) 18 Bavarian capital 21 Tableland (4) 22 Senile (4)

JERUSALEM CINEMATHEQUE Lone Star 5 * Beacular 730 * Johnny Suede + Living in Oblivion 730 * Johnny Suede + Living in Oblivion 730 * Johnny Suede + Living in Oblivion 730 * Johnny Suede + Living Mers Attackst@Star Treic First Contact eMichael Collins 4/45, 7:15, 9:45 * First Wives Catherthe Ghost and the Derkness @Kolya 4/45, 7:15, 9:45 * Lost Highway@Sleepers 4:30, 7:15, 10 ISRAEL MUSEUM Secrets and Lies 6/45, 9:15 JERUSALEM THEATER 20 Marcus St. * 5610011 Breaking the Waves 6, 9 * Portrait of a Lady 6, 9 RAV CHEN 1-7 * 6792799 Ransoin@Homeo and Juliet 5, 7:15, 9:45 * Screem@The Cructhle @One Fine Day 5, 730, 9:45 * Jerry Meguère 4:30, 7:15, 9:45 * Two Days in the Valley 9:45 * Evening Star 4:45, 7:15 MeVASSERTET ZON G.G. Gift. The Ghost and the Darkness@Evita 4:45, 7:15, 9:45 SMADAR Shine 5:45, 7:45, 10 * Trainspoting 12:15 a.m. TEL AVIV DIZENGOFF * 5101370 Jame Eyre @Kolya 11 a.m., 1, 3, 5, 7:45, 10 * Beyond the Clouds 11 a.m., 3, 7:45 * Mainoland Faits 1, 5, 10 GATLone Star 4:45, 7:15, 9:45 GORDON Chizon Kane 6 * Priscille 6, 10 G.G. HOD 1-4 * 5222226 Hod Passage, 101 Dizengoff 5, 7:30, 10 * Lost Highway 4:30, 7:15, 10 LEV Shine 12 noon, 2:15, 5, 7:30, 10 * Secrets and Lies 11:30 a.m., 2, 4:45, 7:15, 9:45 * Trainspotting 2, 10 * Stanling Beauty 11:45 a.m., 5 * Antonka's Line 11:45 a.m., 7:20, 10 * Stanling Beauty 11:45 a.m., 5 * Antonka's Line 11:45 a.m., 7:20, 10 * Beoort and the Darknees 5, 7:30, 10 * Michael Colfins 4:30, 7:15, 10 (A Caremonel 2, 5, 7:30, 10 * Michael Colfins 4:30, 7:15, 10 * Machel Colfins 4:30, 7:15, 10 * Machel Colfins 4:30, 7:15, 10 * Michael Colfins 4:30, 7:15, 10 * Mic

7:15, 10 RAV-CHEN = 5282288 Dizengolf Center Rensom 2:30, 5, 7:15, 9:45 * One Fine Day 2:30, 5, 7:30, 9:45 * Extreme Day 2:30, 5, 7:30, 9:45 * Extreme Measures 2:30, 5, 7:30, 9:45 * Romeo and Juliet 2:30, 5, 7:30, 9:45 * Scream 2:30, 5, 7:30, 9:45 * Jerry Maguire 2:15, 4:45, 7:15, 9:45 RAV-OR 1-5 Opera House Romeo and Juliet@The Crucible@Two Days in The Valley 5, 7:30, 9:45 * Lone Star 4:45, 7:15, 8:45 * Evita 4:30, 7:15, 9:45 G.G. TEL AVIV = 5281181 65 Pinsker St. Star Treic First Contact@The Ghoot and the Dartness 5, 7:30, 10 * Steepers 7:15, 10 TEL AVIV 7:30, 10 * Sleepers 7:15, 10 TEL MUSEUM Little Sister 10 5, 8, 10

HAIFA CINEMA CAFÉ AMAMI #8325755 Breaking the Waves 6:45, 9:30 * Secrets and Lies 7, 9:30 CINEMATH-EQUE GLOBECITY Star Trek: First

18:30 Blinky Ba 10:30 Days of Out 10:40 Days of Cou Lives (rpt) 11:15 Zingara (rpt) 12:00 Barnaby Jones 12:45 The Streets of 19:00 Simba the Lion King 19:30 Cream with Michal Yanai 20:10 Animaniacs 20:25 Manied with San Francisco 13:35 Duet 14:00 Dallas Children 20:50 Roseanne 21:15 Sliders 14:50 Days of Our Lives 15:35 The Nanny 16:00 Hercules SHOWING (6) 16:45 Zingara 17:30 Lapidankner – weekly current-affairs talk show with Tommy Lapid and Amnon 22:00 Le Petit Prince A Dit (French, 1992) a separated couple discover that their 18:00 Murphy Brown 18:30 One Life to Live daughter has cancer 23:45 Wild 19:15 The Young and the Restless Strawbenies (1957) -one of Ingmar Bergman's warmest 20:00 Sunset Beach

19:00 National Geographic Television 19:30 The Ticket 20:30 VIP 21:00 Dateline 22:00 NCAA Basketball 23:00 The Tonight -Tour, US Show with Jay Leno 00:00 Late Night with Conan O'Brien 1:00 Later USA 1:30 NBC News with Tom Brokaw 2:00 The Tonight Show with Jay Leno 3:00 MSNBC -Internight STAR PLUS (unconfirmed) 6:00 Master Chefs of 2:00 Slam

MOVIES

LEV

The Ghost and

Contact@Mars Attacks!@The Ghost and the Dartmess 4:45, 7:15, 9:45 \star Kama Sutra 4:45, 7:15, 10 \star Lost Highway 4:30, 7:15, 10 MORIAH #6643854 Shine 7:30, 9:30 \star The Planet Blue 12 midnight ORLY The Crucible 7, 9:15 PANORA-MA Star Treix First Contact 4:30, 7, 9:30 \star Lost Highway 4:30, 7, 9:30 \star Kolya 4:30, 7, 9:30 RAV-GAT 1-2 \pm 9674311 Screen 4:30, 7, 9:15 \pm Jerry Macauline

4:30, 7, 9:30 HAV-GAI 1:2 # 00/4511 Somean 4:30, 7, 9:15 * Jerry Maguire 4:15, 7, 9:30 RAV-MOR 1-7 * 84 16898 Ransson 4:30, 7, 9:30 * Romeo and Juliet 4:30, 7, 9:15 * Extreme Measures 4:30, 7, 9:15 * Jerry Meguire 4:15, 7, 9:30 * Scream 4:45, 7, 9:15 * Lone Star 4:30, 7, 9:30 * One Fine Day 4:45, 7, 9:15 RAV-OR 1-3 * 8246353 One Ena DownTwo Days in the Waley 4:45, 7,

14:30 Cross-country Skiing: Worldioppet Race, Switzerland 15:00 Freestyle CNN INTERNATIONAL News throughout Skling: World Cup, Sweden 16:00 Tennis: ATP the day 6:30 World Report 7:30 Insight (rpt) 8:30 Moneyline (rpt) 9:30 World Sport 18:00 Aloine Skiing: Women's World Cup, 10:30 Showbiz Today 11:30 CNN 19:00 Cross-country Skiing: World Cup, Sweden Newsroom 12:30 World Report 20:00 Sumo: Grand 13:30 American 22:00 Sunce Grand Tournement, Jepan 21:00 Alpine Skiing: Men's World Cup, USA 22:00 Tennis: ATP Tour, USA 1:30 Moloncross 2:00 Stem Edition 13:45 Q & A (rpl) 14:00 Asian News 14:30 World Sport (rpt) 15:00 Asian News 15:30 Business Asia 16:00 Larry King Live

14:00 Freende -

ne Macazine

Trek: First Contact@Mars Attacks! 7:15, 9:45 * Lost Highway 7:15, 9:45 * Sleepers 7:15, 9:45 * First Wives Club 7:15, 9:45 KIRYAT SHMONA G.G. Gill Romeo and Juliet@The Ghost and the Darkness@Jerry Maguire 4:30, 7, 9:30 LOD

STAR Michael Collins@Evita 7:15, 9:45 t The Ghost and The Darkness 7:15,

Contact 4:30, 7, 9:30 * Sieepers 7.

9:45 NESS ZIONA G.G. GIL 1-4 = 404729 The Ghost and the Darkness@Star Treic First Contact 5, 7:30, 10 + Lost Star@Evita 4:30, 7:15, 10

Attacks! The Ghost and the Darkness@Star Thek-First Contact 5, 5

945 UPPER NAZARETH

9:30

Scream@One Fine Day 5, 7:30, 9:45 * Jerry Maguire 4:30, 7:15, 9:45 * The Crucible 5, 7:15, 9:45 HADERA OR YEHUDA G.G. Gill 1-4 Ransom@The Ghost and the Darkness 5, 7:30, 10 * Kama Sutra@Star Theic First Contact 5, 7:30, HADERA LEV Shine 7:30, 10 * Jany Maguire • Secrets and Lies•Evita 7, 9:45 HERZLIVA COLONY One Fine DayeThe Crucible 5:30, 7:45, 10 HOLIDAY Portrait of a Lady 7:15, 10 STAR * 589068 Lost Highway 7:30, 10 * Jenry Maguire 7:30, 10 * Mens Attacksi 7:30 * Scream 10 KARIMEEL CINEMA Extreme Measures•Scream 7, 9:30 * Jenry Maguire 6:45, 9:30 KARIMEEL CINEMA Extreme Measures•Scream 7, 9:30 * Jenry Maguire 6:45, 9:30 KARIMEEL COLECTION Maguire 6:45, 9:30 KFAR SAVA G.G. Gill = 7/677370 Star Trek: First Contact•Jenry Maguire 6: Mars Attacksi 5, 7:30, 10 * Scream 4:30, 7:15, 10 * Breaking the Waves 4:15, 7, 8:46 * The Ghost and the Darkmess 5, 7:30, 10 KIRYAT BIALIK G.G. Gill. The Ghost and the Darkmess 7:15, 9:45 * Evita ©Shine ©Scorets and Lies 7:15, 9:45 * Star Treis: First Contact•Mars Attacks!

PETAH TIKVA G.G. HECHAL

PETAH TIKVA G.G. HECHAL Jerry Maguire@Scream@Star Trek. First Contact 5, 7:30, 10G.G. RAM 1-3 = 9340818 Ransom@The Ghost and the Darkness@First Wives Chub 7:30, 10 SIRKIN Romeo and Juliet@One Fine Day@Shine 5, 7:30, 10 ★ Breaking the Waves 6:45, 9:45 ★ Secrets end Lies 7:15, 10 ★ Lost Highway 4:45, 7:15, 10 RA'ANANA PARK SthneeJerry Maguire@One Fine Day 4:45, 7:15, 10 ★ Romeo and Juliet 5:7:30, 9:45 ★ Romeo and Juliet 5, 7:15 9:45 ★ Extreme Measures 5, 9:45 ★ One Fine Day 5, 7:30, 9:45 ★ Lone Star 7:30, 9:45 ★ Jerry Maguire 4:30, 7:15, 9:45 RAMAT HASHAROM

RAMAT HASHARON KOKHAV

RUKHAV Shine 5,7:30, 10 REHOVOT CHEN Shine 7:30, 10 * Secrets and LieseLone Star 7, 9:45 * Breaking the Waves 7, 9:45 RAV MOR The Outble Dommer and Middle On The LieseLone on the state of the second substance of the second substance of second substance of second substance of the second sec

G.G GIL Kama Sutra@Jerry Magutre@Evening Star 4:30, 7, 9:30 * The Ghost and the Darkness@Scream@Star Trek: First

GAL 1-5 #9619009 Ransom@Scream 7:30, 10 * Sleepers 7:15, 10 GilL 1-3 Star Treic First Contact@Shine 5, 7:30, 10 * Secrets and Lies 4:45, 7:15, 10 HAZAHAV Star Treic First Contact@The Ghost and the Darkness 5, 7:30, 10 * Mars treicfirst@Shine 5, 7:30, 10 * Mars Attacksleshine 5, 7:30, 10 * Breeking the Waves 6:30, 9:30 RAV CHEN the Waves 6:30, 9:30 RAV CHEN Scream@One Fine Day@Romeo and Juliet 5, 7:30, 9:45 ★ Jerry Maguire 4:30, 7:15, 9:45 \$TAR Jerry Maguire@Lost Highway 7:15, 10 ★ One Fine Day 10 ★ Evita 7:15 ★ Romeo and Juliet 7:30, 10 YEHUD RAV CHEN Scream@One Fine Day 5, 7:30, 9:45 ★ Two Days in the Valley 9:45 ★ Jerry Maguire 4:30, 7:15, 9:45 ★ Evening Star 4:45, 7:15

Phone reservations: Tel Aviv 5252244 Haita 726878 All times are p.m. unless otherwise indicated.

Jurilet 5, 7:15, 9:45 * Jerry Maguire 4:30, 7:15, 9:45 ASHIVELON G.G. Gill * 729977 Star Trek: First Contact@Kama Sutra@The Ghost and the Darkness 5, 7:30, 10 * Portrait of a Lady@Steepers 7, 9:45 RAV CHEN One Fine Day@Ransom @Scream 5, 7:30, 9:45 * Jerry Maguire 4:30, 7:15, 9:45 * Breaking the Waves 7, 9:45 BAT YAM RAV CHEN Romeo and Juliet@Mars Attacked @Extreme Measures 5, 7:30, 9:45 * Jerry Maguire 4:30, 7:15, 9:45 * Ransom 7:15, 9:45 * Scream 5, 7:30, 9:45 * One Fine Day 5, 7:30, 9:45 * Scream 5, 7:30, 9:45 * Star Trek: First Contact 5

* Screen 5, 730, 945 × Sus tren. First Contact 5 BEERSHEBA G.G. Gil Kama Sutra@Long Kiss Goodnight 445, 7:15, 945 * Seepars @Portrait of a Lady 430, 7, 945 G.G. ORI Secrets and Lies@Lost Highway 7, 9:45 * The Ghost and the Darkness@Star Treic First Contact 445, 7:15, 9:45 RAV-NEGEV 1-4

4:45, 7, 9:15 RAV-OR 1-3 = 8246553 One Fine Days Two Days in the Valley 4:45, 7, 9:15 * Romeo and Juliet 4:30, 7, 9:15 AFULA RAV CHEN * 6424047 Jerry Maguire 6:45, 9:30 * Breaking the Waves 6:30, 9:15 * Romeo and Juliet 7, 9:30 ARAD STAR Lost Highway 7, 9:30 * Portrait of a Lady 7, 9:30 * Someone Ese's America 8:30 ARIEL Baneon 9 ASHDOD G.G. Gill # 8647202 Kama Sutra@Star Treic First Contact 5, 7:30, 10 * The First Wives Club@Daylight 5, 7:30, 10 * Sieepers 7, 9:45 G.G. ORI 1-3 # 711223 The Ghost and

the DarimasseLong Kiss Goodnight 5, 730, 10 * Portrait of a Lady 7:15, 10 RAV CHEN Scream Extreme Measures One Fine Day 5, 7:30, 9:45 * Ransom 5, 7:15, 9:45 * Romeo and Juliet 5, 7:15, 9:45 * Jerry Maguire

Derivess@Star Treachest Contact 7 7:30, 10 * Secrets and Lies@Lost Highway 4:30, 7:15, 10 RAV CHEN Scream@One Fine Day 5, 7:30, 9:45 * Jerry Maguire 4:30, 7:15, 9:45 * The Crucible 5, 7:30, 9:45 OR AKIVA RAV CHEN Jerry Maguire 6:45, 9:30 * Breaking Jerry Meguire 6:45, 9:30 * Breaking the Waves 6:30, 9:15 * Scream 7,

00:00 News

Domingo and

JORDAN TV

14:00 Holy Koran 14:05 Carloons

17:00 Out of This

World

14:45 Curiosity Show

15:10 They Came from Outer Space 16:00 NBA Basketball

Danime

00:05 The Work's

Greatest Voices - per-formance of Pavarotti,

Carrieras at the 1990 World Cup 1:10 On the Edge of the Shell

NEWS

Thursday, March 13, 1997 The Jerusalem Post

Tel Aviv 12-19

10-17

AROUND THE WORLD

2828282858

Fighting

in zone

Hizbullah guerrillas fired mortar

rounds at a South Lebanese Army

unit on patrol in the security zone's

eastern sector last night. No casual-

IDF and SLA units returned fire.

ties or damage were reported: .

cloudy -cloudy -cloudy -pridoudy -claudy --

(Itim)

TH

ç. . .

140

٢. -

-

75

221 ·*

 $\{ x_i \}_{i \in \mathbb{N}}$

dia pri si 11

artta e s

<u>са</u> с

a 🖓 🕹 🖓

game a la

ev.

. . .

2.2

EUTS . Press

per, s-

87.4 S

14 - C

20.0

Exces ·

19 19 19 19

 $0 \in \Sigma \cdots \in$

5:1

stand p

da: CDN

+TAX sewhere:

48. Sug-4-

0ir

× 1

Charles 1

1.1.1.

Peres: Israel should hold its own summit

······

By MICHAL YUDELMAN

12

The Labor Party yesterday called on the Palestinians to retum to the negotiating table and on both sides to prevent the escalation towards violence.

Labor yesterday convened an emergency meeting of its execu-tive committee to discuss the grave deterioration in Israel's relations with the Arab states and the Palestinians. Labor also is preparing for the no-confidence motion to be presented against Minister Binyamin Prime Netanyahu's government next Monday.

Labor Chairman MK Shimon Peres made it clear he would not take part in the international convention Palestinian Authority Chairman Yasser Arafat is organizing in Gaza on Saturday. proposing another conference be held - with the same participants

- in Jerusalem one day later. Peres said the crisis between Israel and the Arab world is the worst ever - both in scope and in intensity - since the signing of the Oslo agreement a few years

Earlier yesterday, Peres said, "This government's basic problem is not deciding to build in Har Homa or not, but the contradiction between the peace process and the government's position. Hence Netanyahu makes a gesture towards the Arabs one time, and towards the right wing another time. He's zigzagging: at one point he upsets one side, and at the next he upsets the other. You can't conduct a peace process in two contradictory directions at the same time."

Peres said that relations between Israel and the Arabs "had been different and could be different."

He noted that contrary to Netanyahu's statements, "he did not inherit a bad security situation, but a very good one. Arafat had quashed terrorism two months before the elections, and has been keeping it down since. "We too built in Jerusalem, but

there is a way to build bouses, not scandals. Much can be done wisely, gradually, not with drum beating and trumpets. Netanyahu bas mobilized the whole world against us in the Jerusalem issue, both in the tunnel affair and now, with contradictory, confusing statements."

Labor MK Yossi Beilin said that if Netanyahu announces his intention to evacuate 10 percent of the territory and put off the construction in Har Homa until after the permanent settlement, Labor would not join the noconfidence motion next Monday.

Journalists protest government incitement against them

said.

By MICHAL YUDELMAN

The Tel Aviv Journalists Association yesterday warned of violence against their number, in view of the increasing incitement against the media by senior officials in the government.

The Association expressed disappointment at the silence of Allomey-General Elyakim Ruhinstein and State Prosecutor Edna Arbel following the calls of "death to the media" in the Likud central committee meeting last week.

The Association may file police complaints against senior figures, including Prime Minister Binyamin Netanyahu, association chairman Arye Avneri of Yediot Aharonot said at a press conference yesterday.

By ARIEH O'SULLIVAN

Four bnew Panther helicopters

officially joined the Israel Navy

yesterday, giving it a new gener-

ation of enhanced weapons sys-

tems believed to greatly extend

its offensive arm. A fifth heli-

copter is to be delivered shortly.

The Panther, known in Hebrew

as Atalef (hat) replaces the sea-

"Never has an Israeli government attacked and incited against the media as this one has," Avneri

Avneri said he gave a list of statements hy senior figures to legal advisors to examine whether official police complaints can be lodged against them for incitement, to start an investigation. Association director Razi Guterman expressed concern over

prime minister's office directorgeneral Avigdor Liberman's statements to the effect that he will 'settle accounts" with certain journalists and that there are journalists who must be kicked out. He said Netanyahu should bave bushed the people shouting 'death to the media' at the Likud gathering. Instead, his spokesman said Netanyahu had beard or said noth-

ing against the media. "But we all saw him, in re-run broadcasts, responding to these calls." Guterman said Netanyahu's

obsession since being elected prime minister has been attacking the media. "Criticizing the media is legitimate, but inciting against journalists is dangerous to the freedom of expression and to democracy," be said.

The speakers also protested against the investigation into the "leak" of the cabinet protocol in the Bar-On Affair, noting that the attorney-general was formerly cabinet secretary and knows the routine of "leaks" from cabinet meetings. Already there is evidence that the inquiry has "dried up" information sources, who fear being interrogated. This obstructs journalists' work, Avneri said.

Panther helicopter fleet joins the navy



Equal opportunity play

The atmosphere in the air force

since 73 servicemen were killed

in the February 4 collision

between two transport heli-

copters is still heavy. Ben-Eliyahu refused to be inter-

viewed hy the media and bad

actually ordered IDF spokesmen

not to allow journalists to

Something happened in the air

approach him.

MK Adisu Massala (Labor) poses yesterday with two nursery-school pupils in Ramle and part of the first shipment of some 500 dark-skinned dolls he organized from donors in the US. Massala said the dolls, to be distributed at nursery schools throughout the country, are to provide all children, not only those of Ethiopian origin, with a more natural choice of play objects. (Ilan Ossendryve /Israel Sun)

Chopper crash report delayed

By ARIEH O'SULLIVAN

Defense Minister Yitzhak Mordechai agreed yesterday to a request for an extension hy the commission of inquiry into the Fehruary 4 collision of two transport helicopters that killed 73 ser-

The report, which was to have Israeli and American intermediaries pocketing the difference. At three neople were convicted

Ivry's letter said the commission would try very hard to keep the extended investigation to less than a month. Copies of the letter also were sent to Chief of General Staff Lt.-Gen. Amnon Lipkin-Shahak and Judge Advocate General

The four officers involved were questioned under caution and have sought legal counsel. They are exercising their right to summon witnesses before the commission.

It is expected that the officers

Built by the French Aerospatiale company, the Panther replaces the Dolphin, which has been in The purchase of the Panthers found the navy embroiled in controversy, when it was discovered Israel paid nearly \$12 million vicemen. more than it should have, with

been completed hy March 20, will now be presented on April 15, the Defense Ministry

Brig.-Gen. Uri Shoham.

crashed at sea last September killing all three of its crew. The deal cost the IDF \$63 million.

m

Ν

PR Ciniii 12R 198 to CA Eige Web 28 to CA Eige Web 29 to CA Eige Web 29 to CA Eige Web 20 to CA Eige W

DE/ Jen bek Thu Tel noo and and

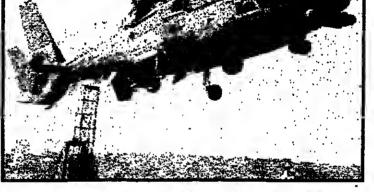
For 02-

THÉ ler veh furr 625

Three of the blue and gray Panthers flew yesterday into the Ramat David Air Base, led by the navy's last remaining Dolphin. Families of the pilots and invited guests gathered on the sunny tarmac applauded as the squadron's emhlem was affixed to the aircraft.

"This is a day which strength-ens the navy, the air force, and the IDF." said OC Air Force Maj.-Gen. Eitan Ben-Eliyahu. "A loi of missions await you, but go slowly... from tomorrow the ceremonies will be over, and you return to training and to operations if the need arises; do it as best as yon can."

The ceremony was somewhat marred by the often-noted



A Panther helicopter lands on the deck of a Sa'ar missile ship. (IDF Spokcaman)

absence of the crew of the illfated Dolphin, including Lt.-Col. Benzi Bacbar, who saw the project from its inception and was to have led the first Panther squadron.

"My husband used to say, 'This is all we have and we have to win with it,' and this is what I'm trying to do," said Bachar's widow, Shlomit. "It's painful and happily moving at the same time."

helicopter orce am said Lt.-Col. Z, the force," Panther squadron commander. "There is no douht the Yasur helicopter tragedy was a hlow to the squadron ... When you're getting back to routine, this national mourning hits you and it of course causes difficulties and

uncomfortable feelings," he said. The Panther is an updated version of the Dolphin. Known hy its integral tail rotor, the Panther is a new-generation aircraft that will enhance the weapons systems on navy missile boats by expanding their visible horizon and guiding anti-ship Harpoon missiles to their targets. They will also hunt submarines and carry out search and rescue oper-

The navy purchased the French-designed Panther from the American Eurocopter Corp.

ations.

of fraud and Vice-Adm. (res.) Alex Eyal, former director of procurement for the navy, has been questioned over the sales scheme.

service since 1985.

The Panther's three-man crew is made up of a pilot, navigator, and a communications officer. The Panther takes off from and lands on a small aft platform on the navy's cruiser class Sa'ar 4.5 and Sa'ar 5 missile ships, nicknamed "the smallest aircraft carriers in the world."

The cooperation between the air force and navy lets the cbopper be maintained at sea. The Panther is based on the Dolphin's original mid-1970s design, but its problematic US-built engine has been replaced with a more powerful French one. Its avionics

have all been upgraded a generation.

Commission head David Ivry Apparently they intend to fight to requested the delay in response to clear their names from the hint of demands by the attorneys of four responsibility the commission has. placed on them for faults that may officers, who may face disciplinary action due to the commishave led to the crash. sion's findings, that the commission hear more testimony.

will summon senior commanders, lvry said the collection of eviincluding OC Air Force Maj.-Gen. Eitan Ben-Eliyahu, who bas dence was in its final stages, but that the committee found itself reportedly sought legal counsel. ohligated to allow the four officers The four officers are Brig.-Gen. the right to a hearing and to call G, commander of the Tel Nof air witnesses before the commission. base, where the CH-53 squadrons are based: Yasur squadron comman-Two weeks after the crash, the der Lt.-Col. E .; E 's deputy, Maj. Y .; and the operations officer for the

inquiry presented an interim report which noted that murky regulations may have led to the crash. Galilee Panhandle, Brig.-Maj. A.

Winning cards

The winning cards in yesterday's daily Mifal Hapayis Chance draw were the ace of spades, jack of hearts, eight of diamonds and jack of clubs.



وكذامن لتعل